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AT a period, when Sacred Music is making rapid progress toward perfection—when it already holds an elevated rank in the circle of science—when a love for delightful melody, and rich and sublime harmony, is become general and ardent—when the taste for this species of devotional entertainment is very much refined and improved—when Sacred Oratorios excite a deep interest in the public feeling, and are sentimentally patronized by the devout, the learned, accomplished, and opulent class of society; and are about to constitute a pleasing, exalted, religious, and permanent entertainment in the principal towns and cities of our country—At this very auspicious period, we have the great satisfaction to present our subscribers and patrons the ORATORIO OF THE CREATION, by Haydn:—A work of unbounded celebrity in all parts of Europe:—A work, classical, scientific, and sacred—of wonderful conception, of surprising genius, of masterly execution:—A work, commencing, in description, at the gloomy, chaotic state of the world, and exhibiting, by musical combination, the jarring elements, when first put in motion, till, by various evolutions, they finally issue in that perfect order and harmony, emphatically called the "Music of the Spheres:"—A work, impressively representing, by Recitatives, Solos, Duetts, Trios, and Choruses, the sudden dissipation of the dismal shades of darkness before the splendid beams of the celestial luminary—the rapid flight of the apostate angels from the mansions of light, glory, and happiness, down to the abyss of despair, and endless night—describing, in its progress, the various labors of the Almighty—and, at the close of each successive day, celebrating his praise in sublime Chorus, till the sixth revolving Sun announces Creation complete.

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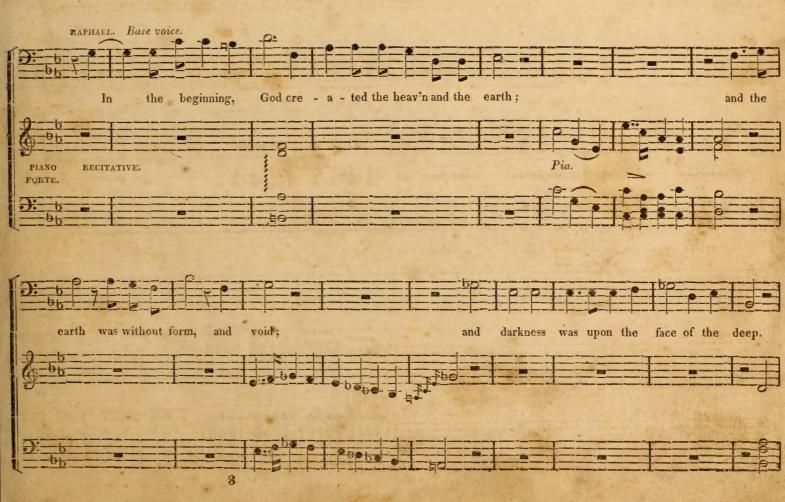
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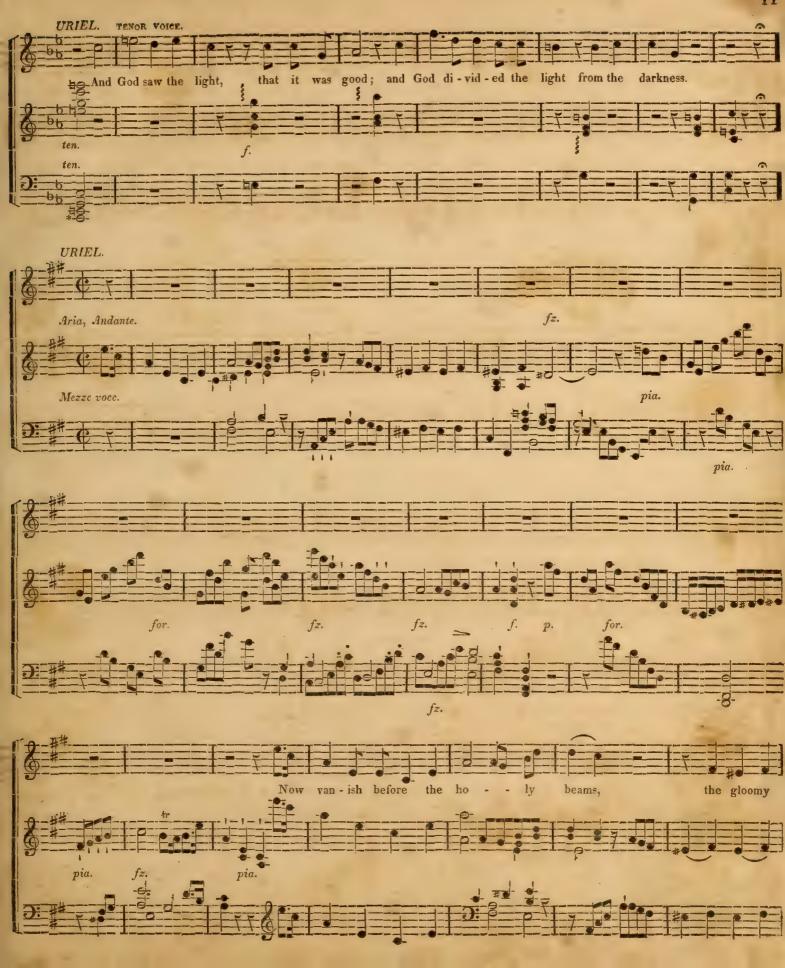


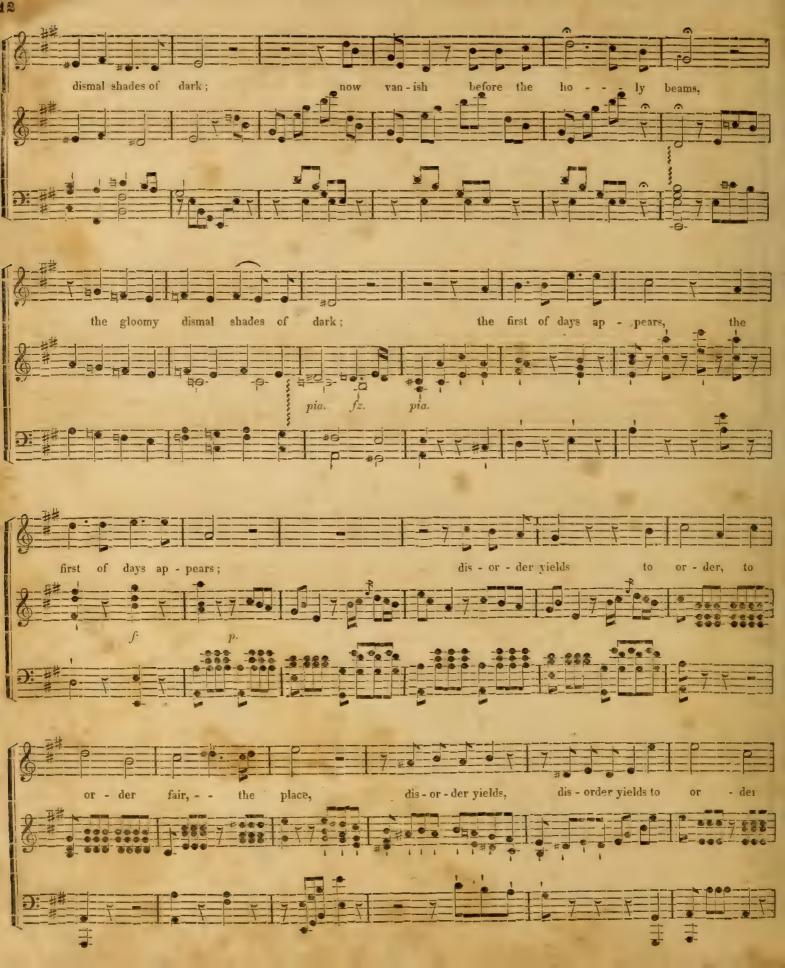
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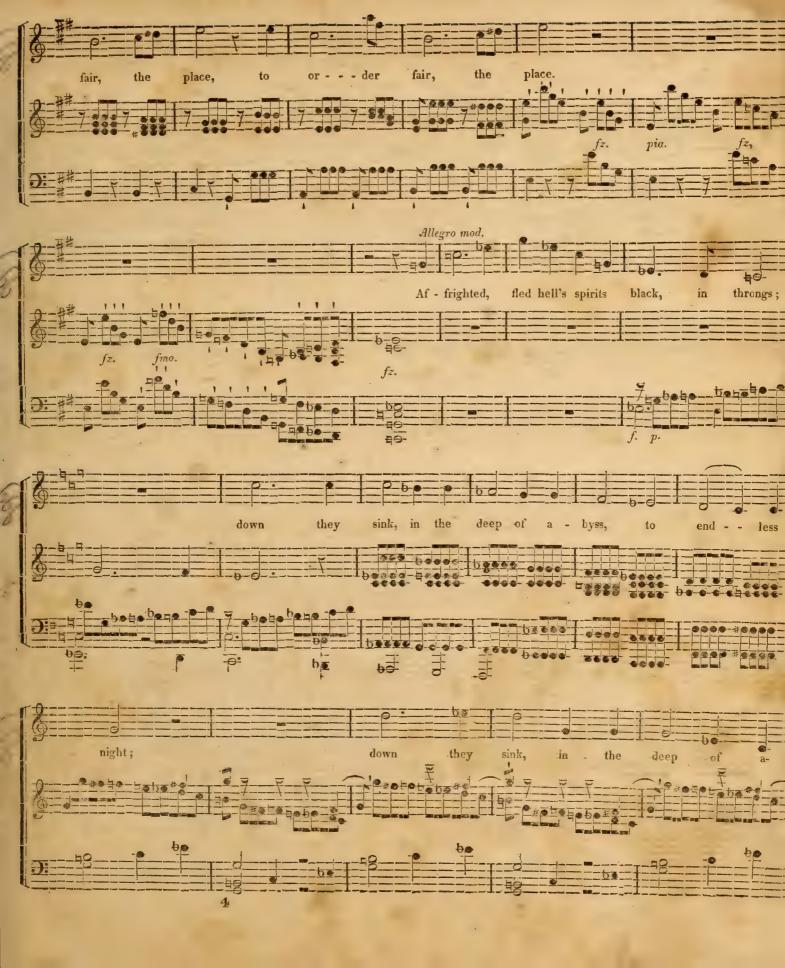
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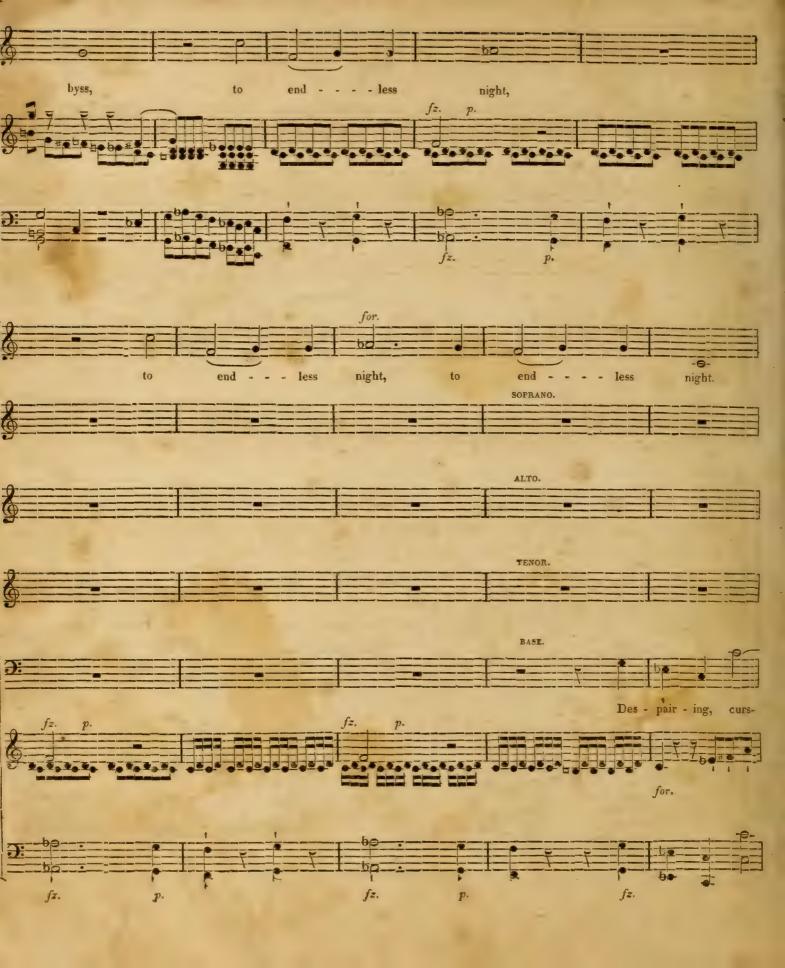


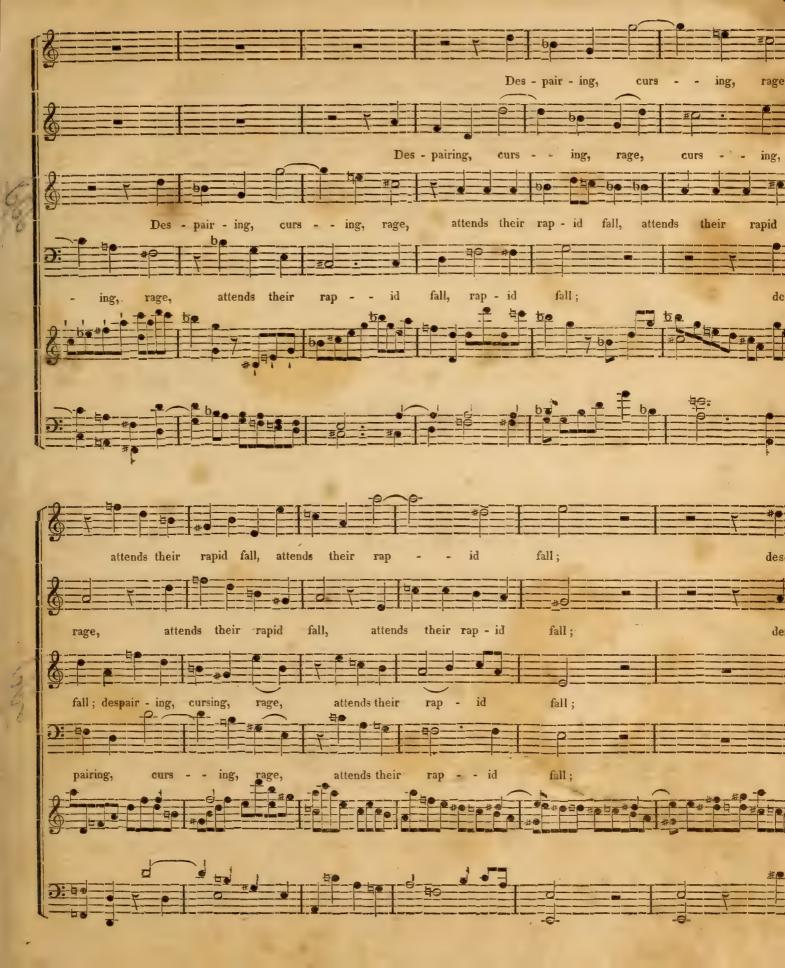


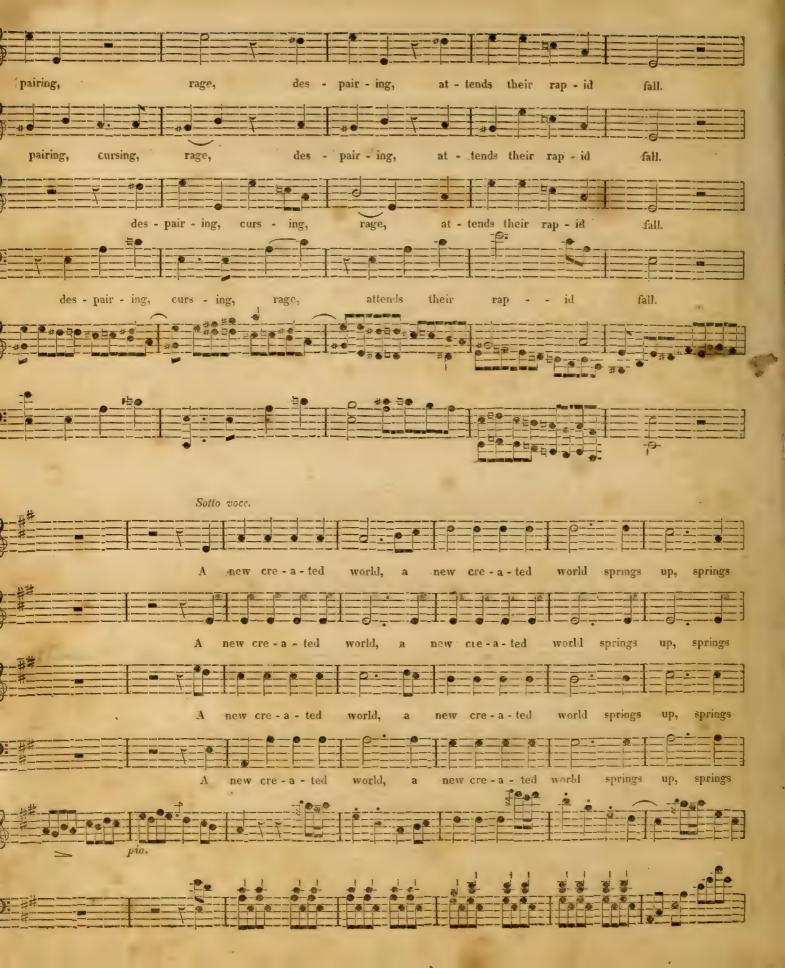






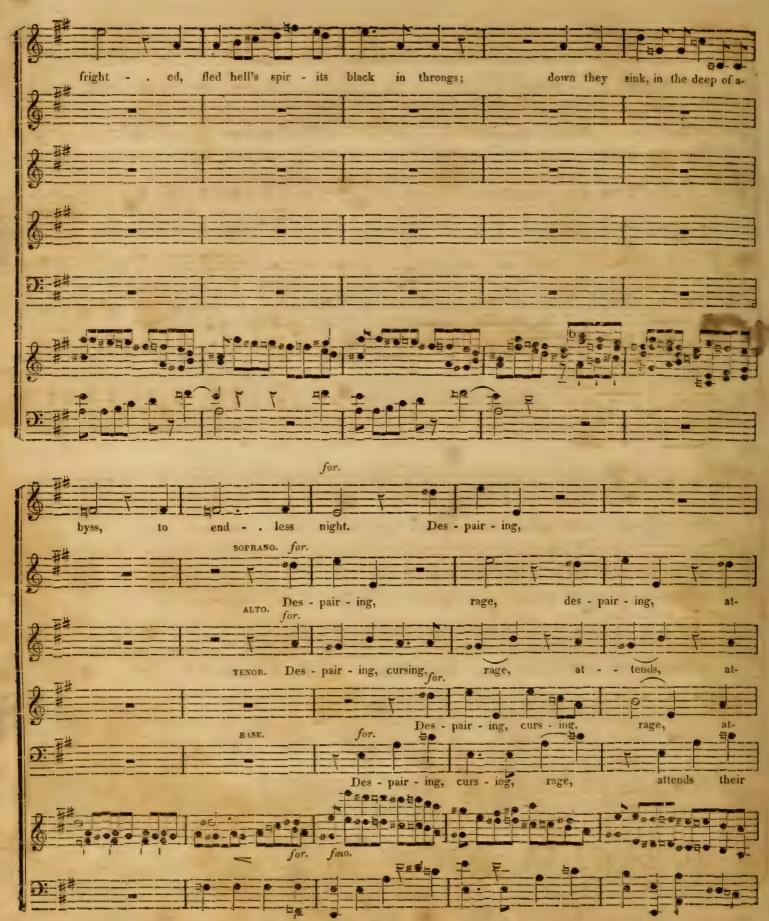


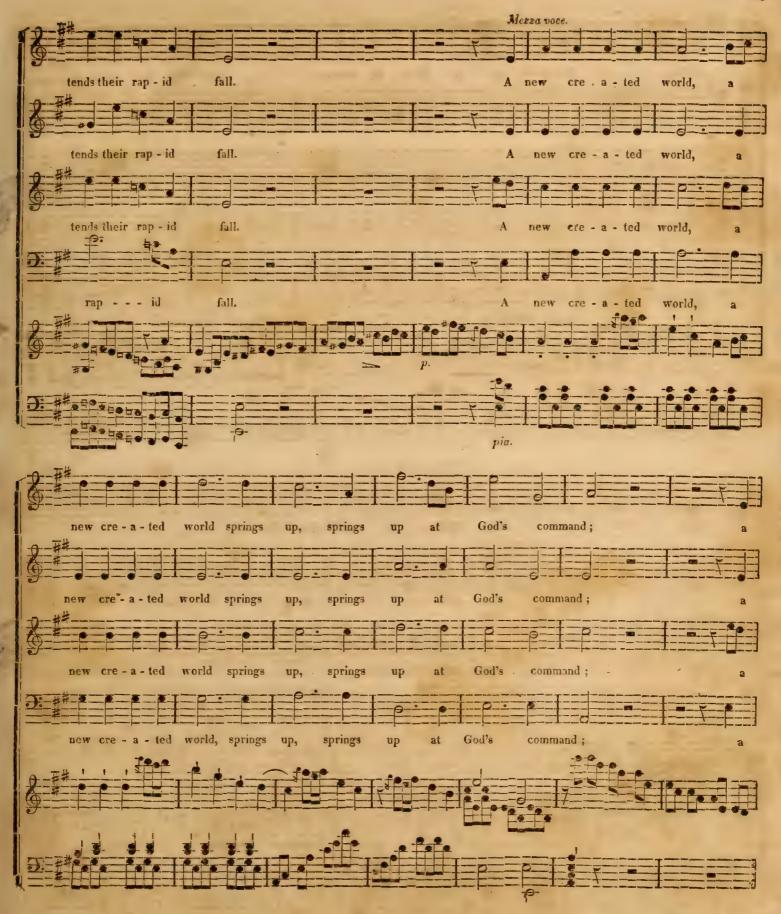


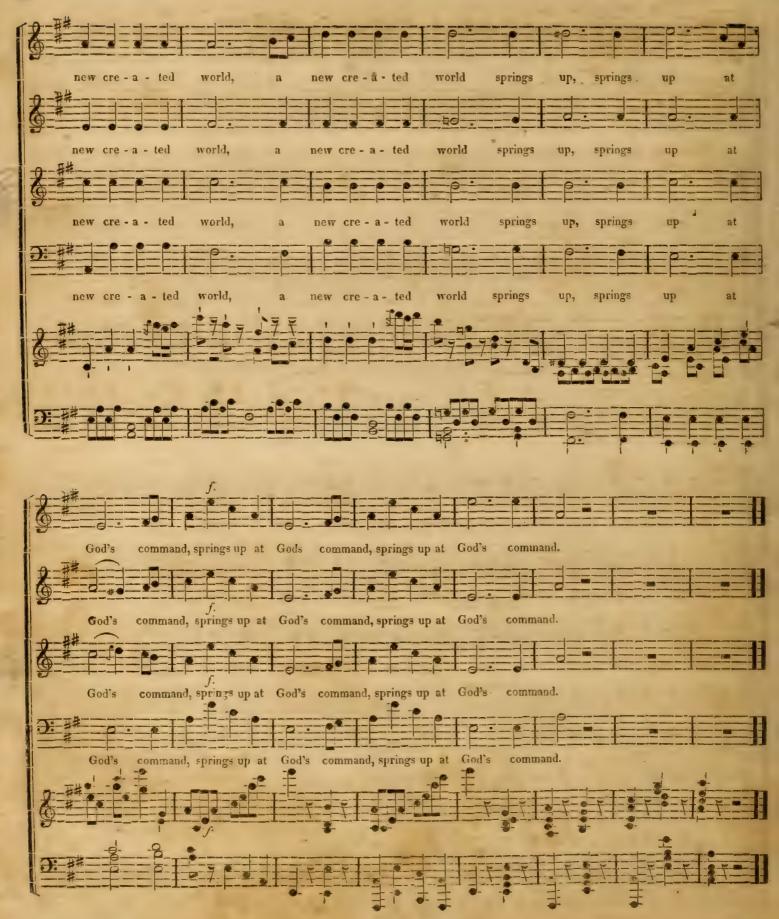








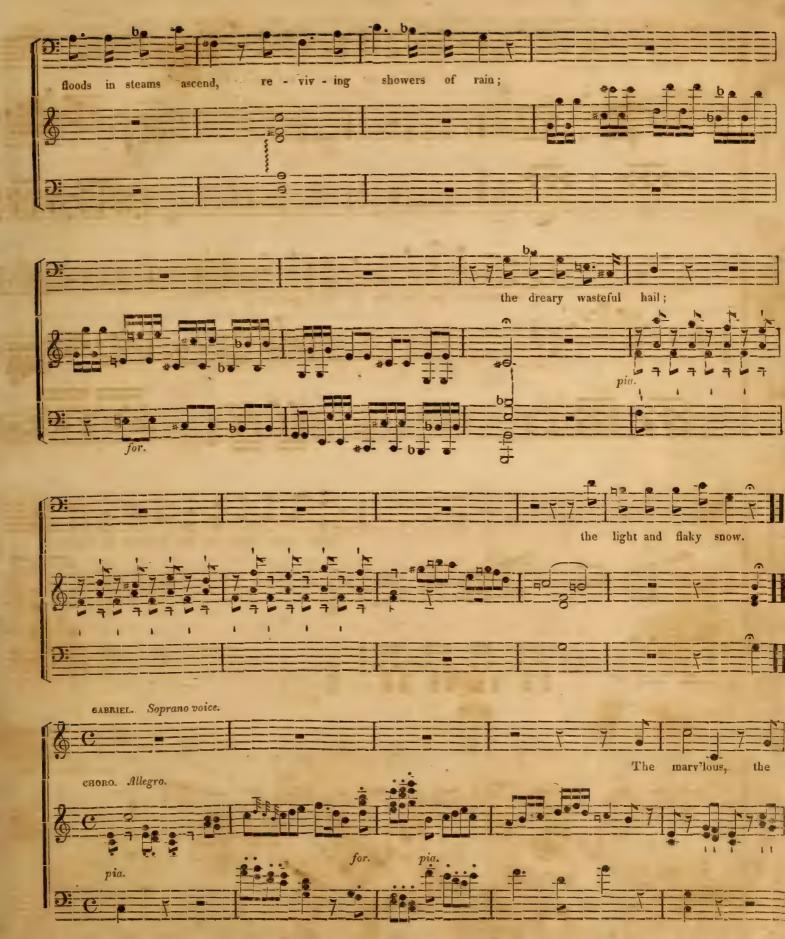


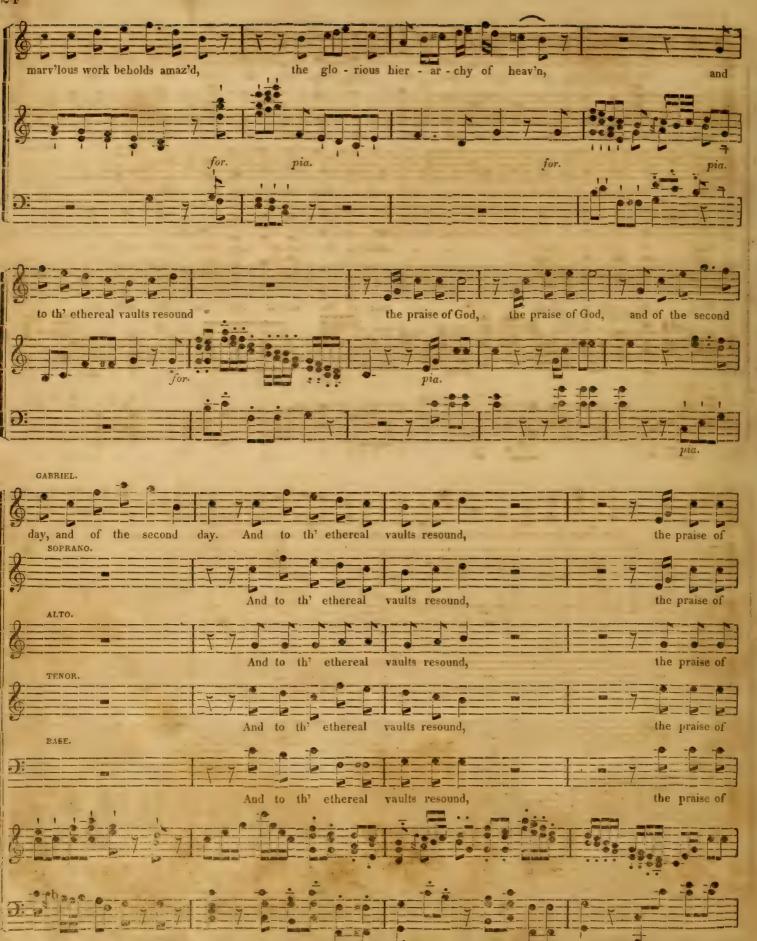






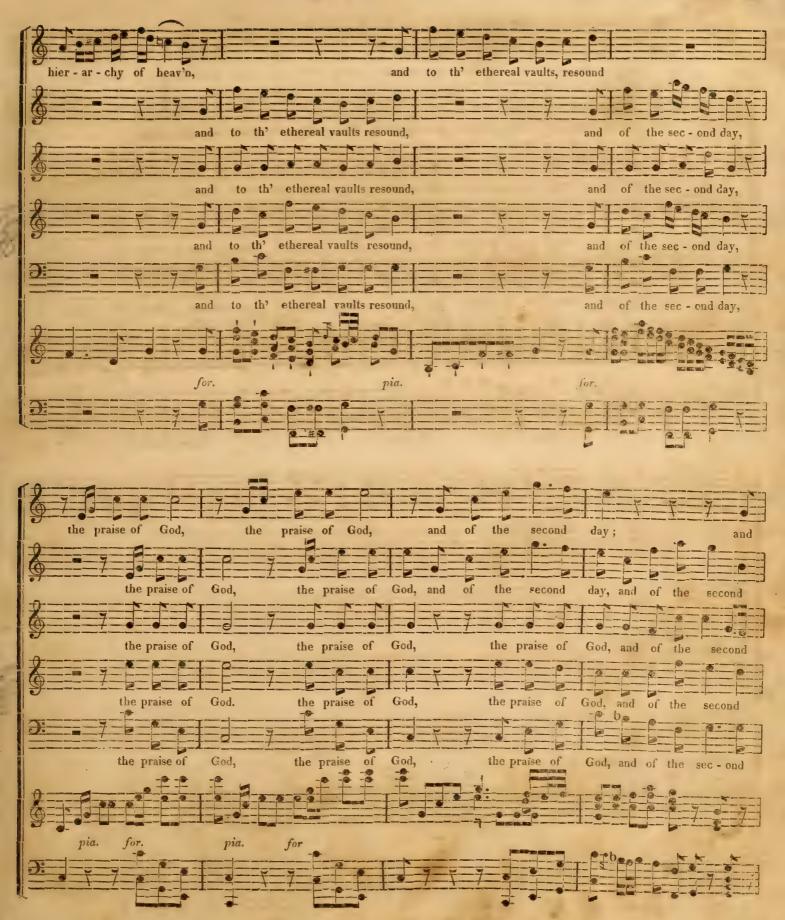


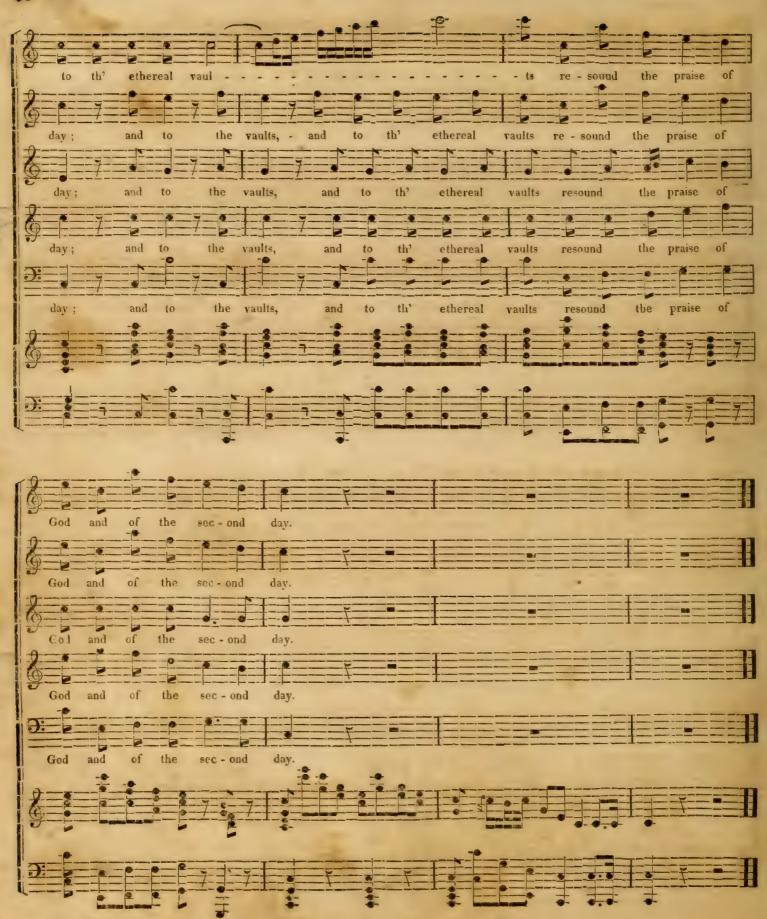


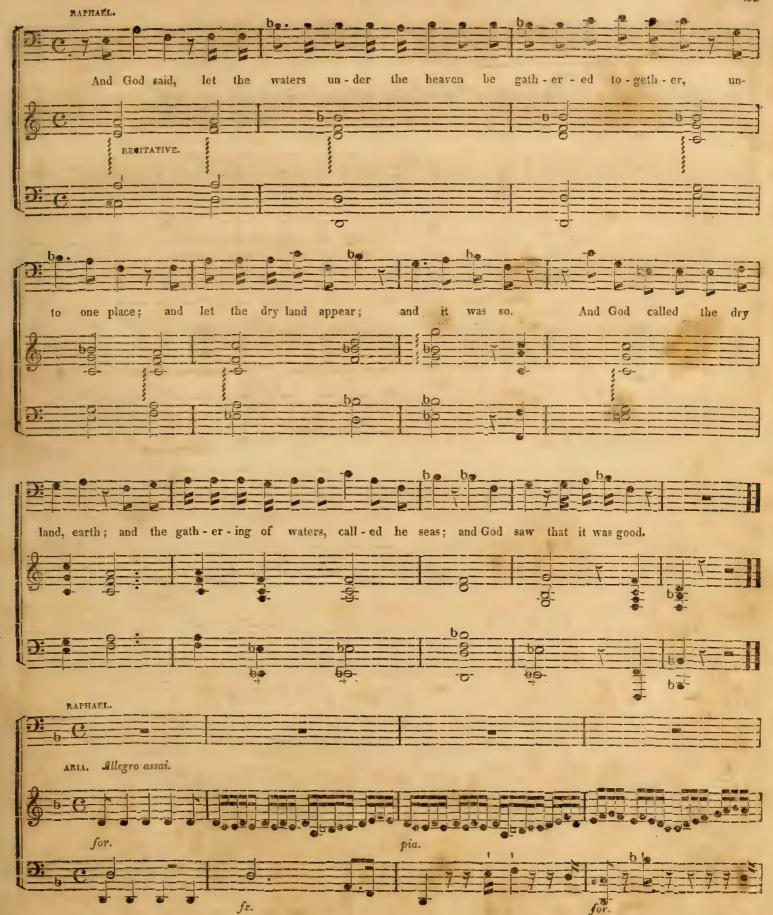


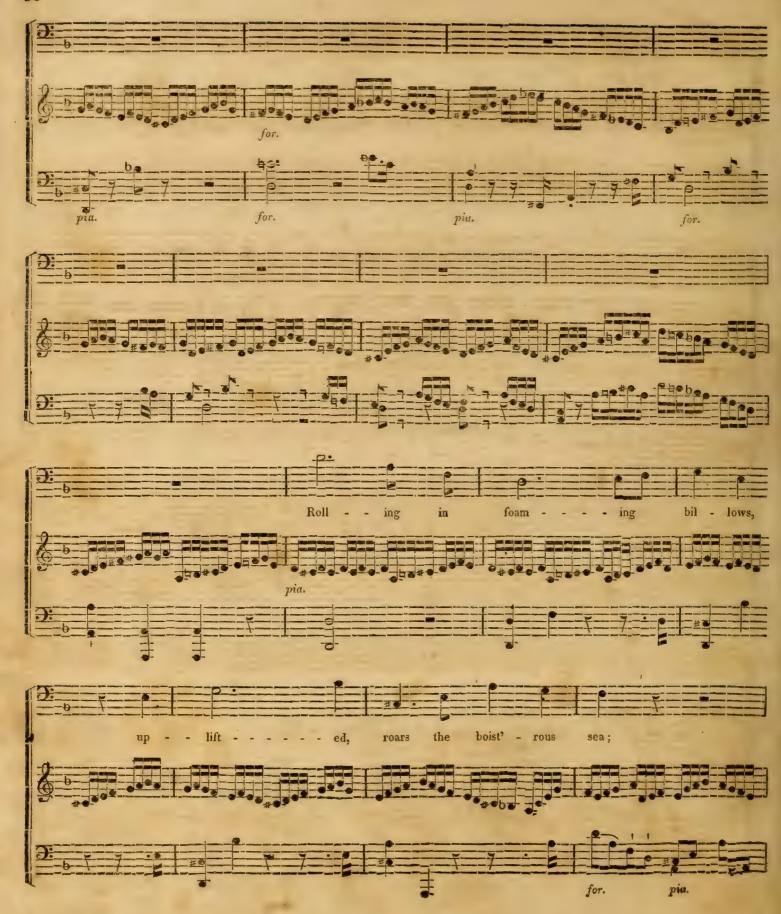


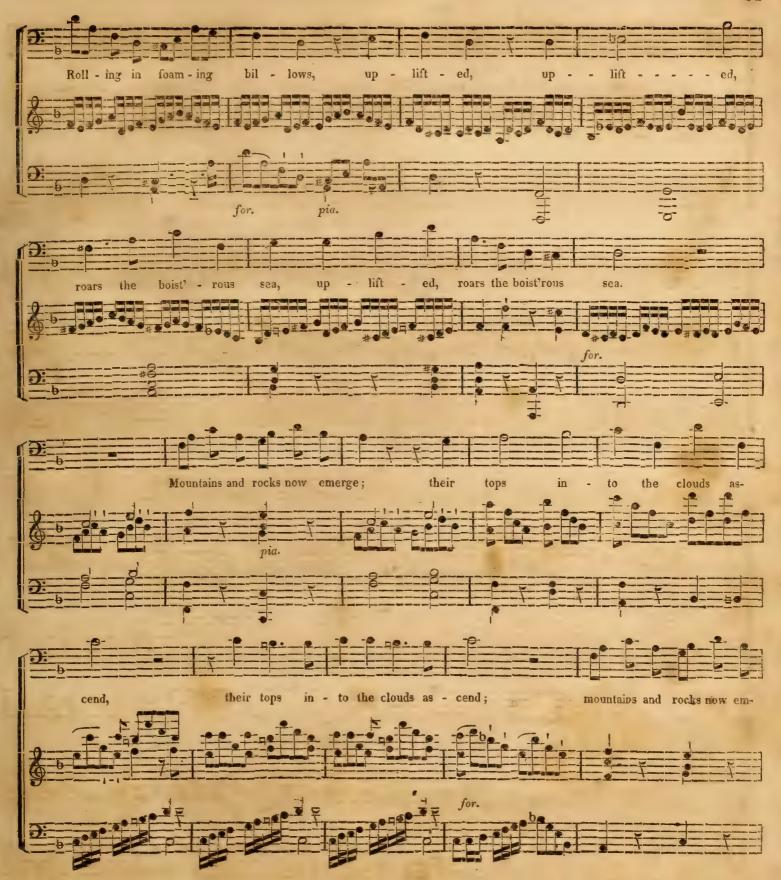


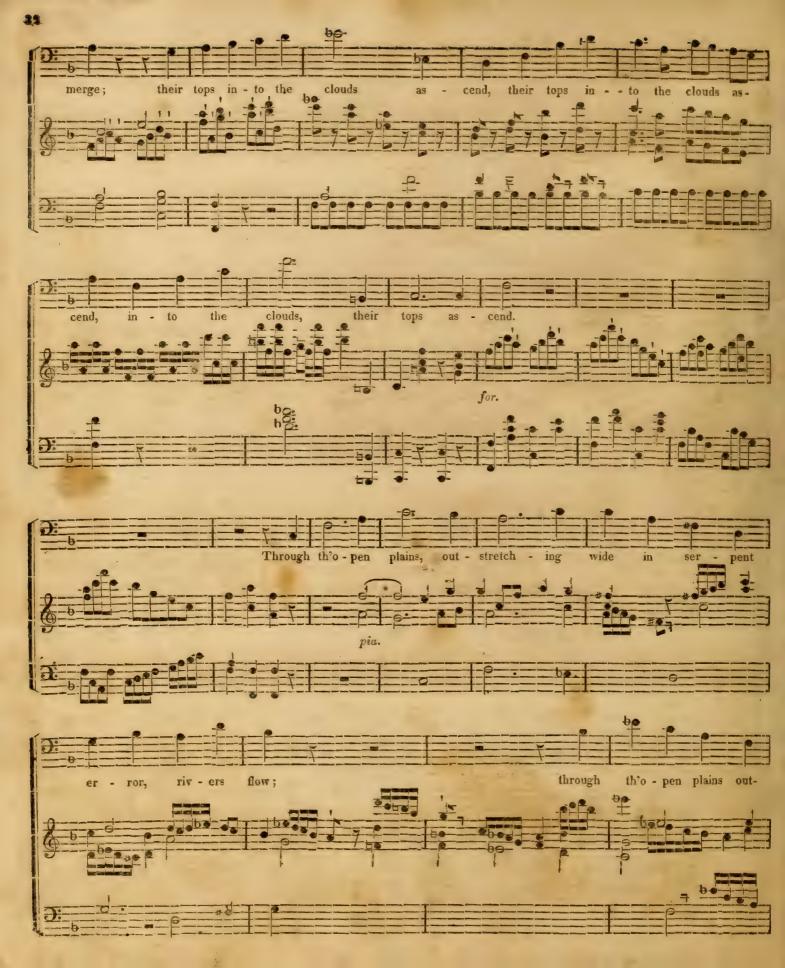


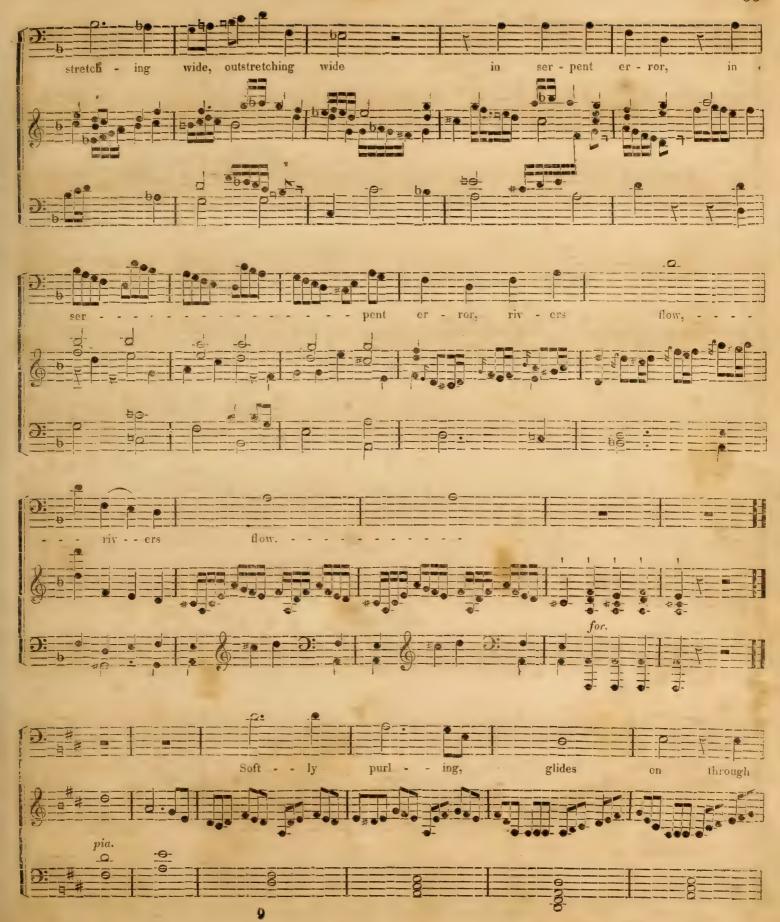


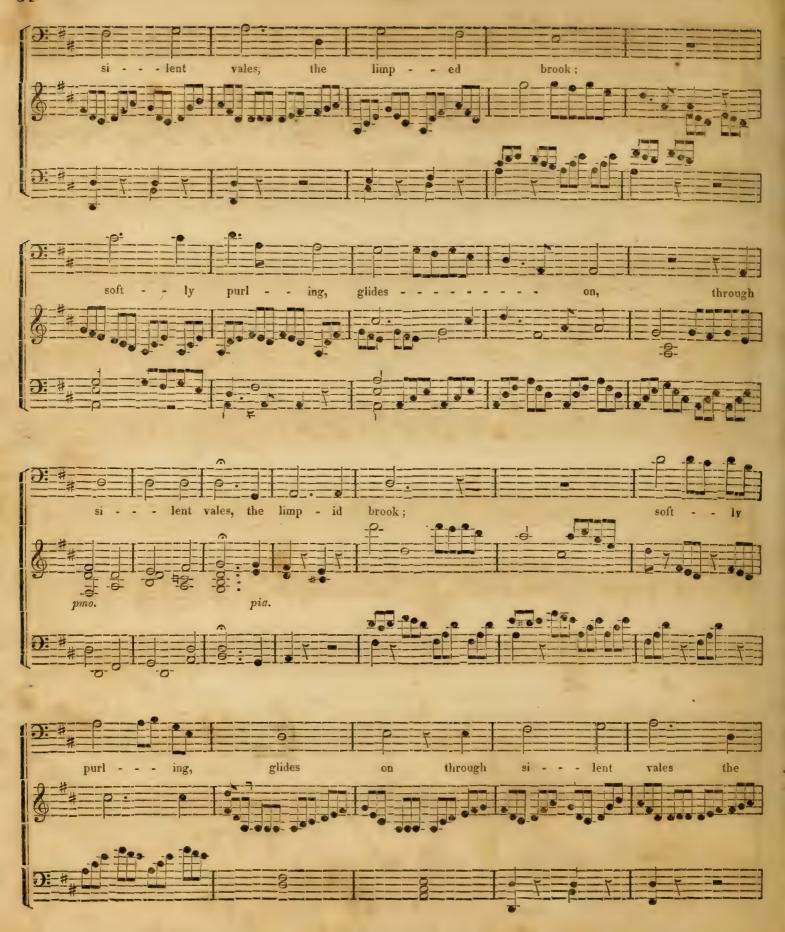


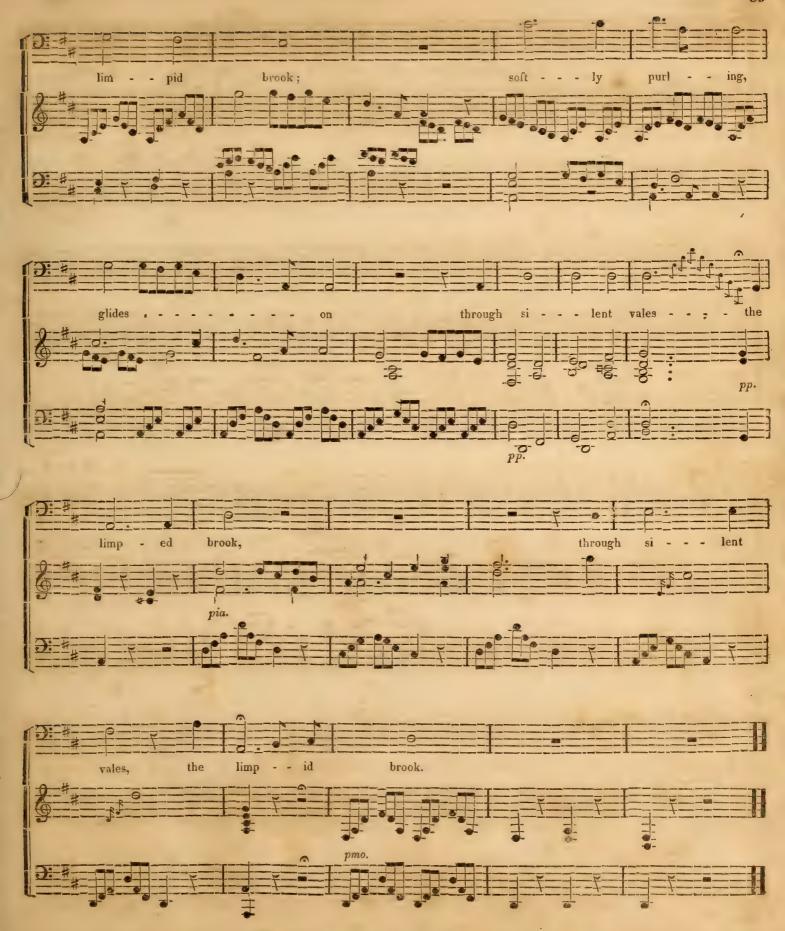


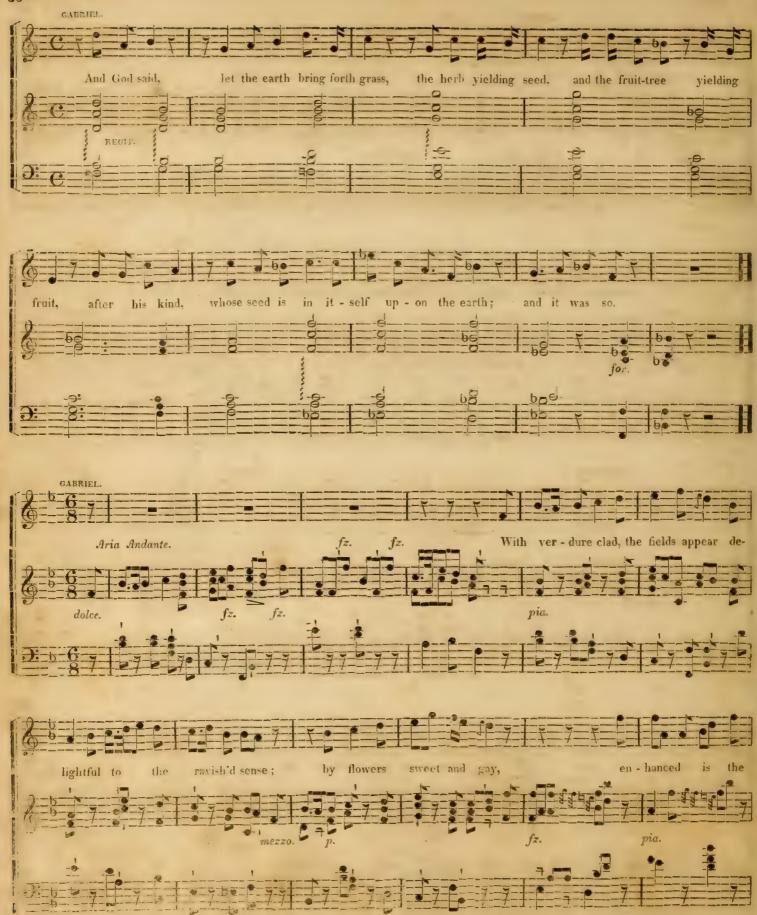


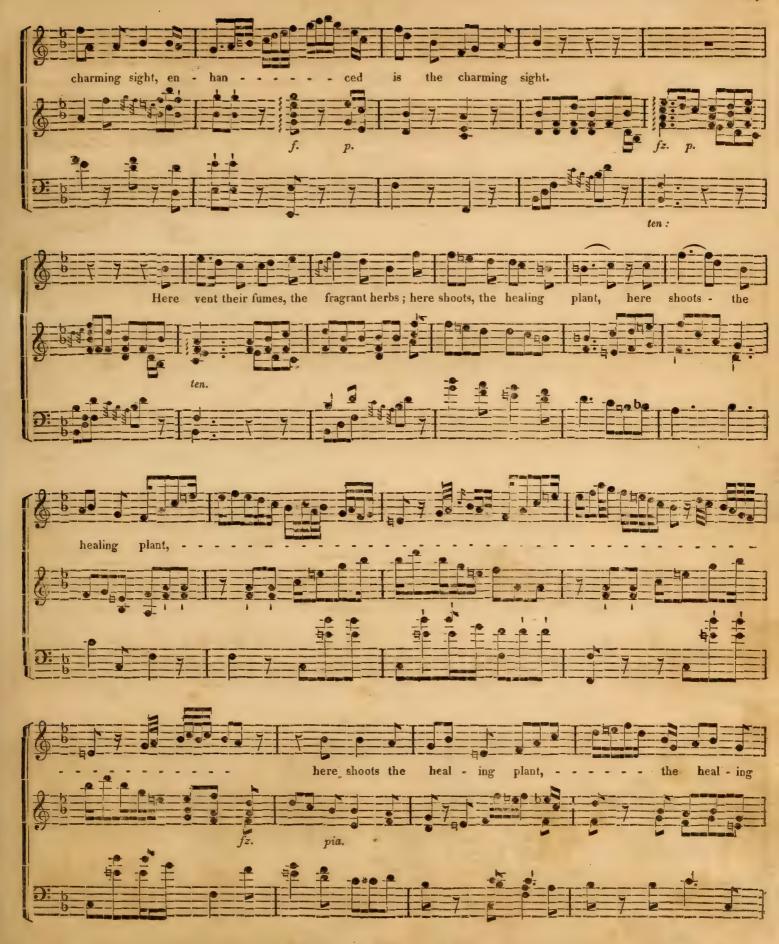


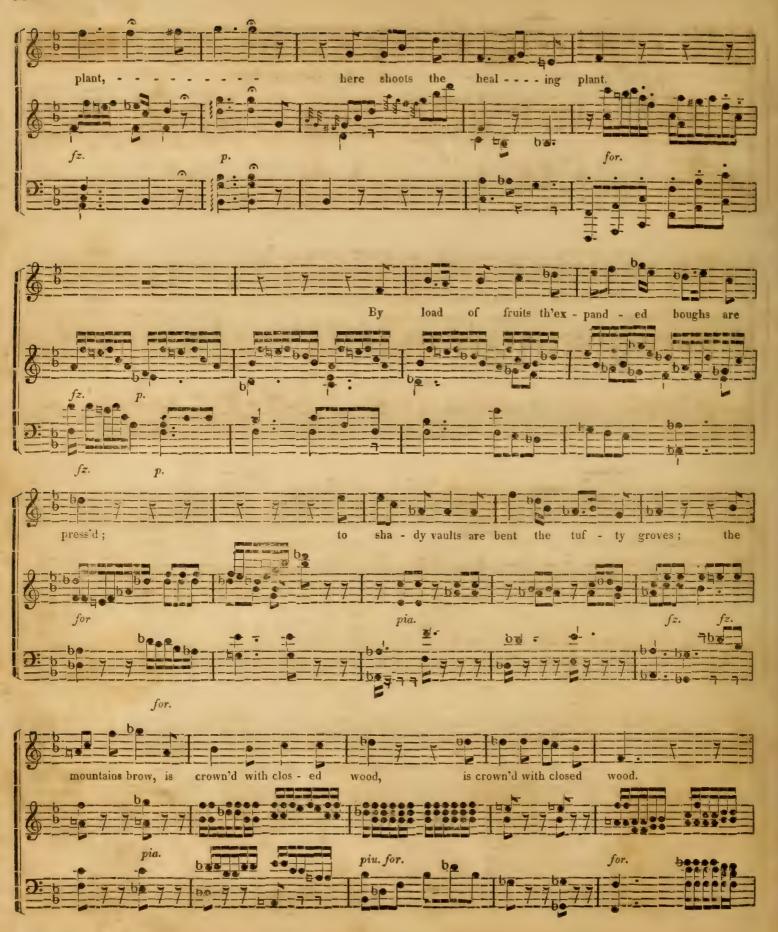


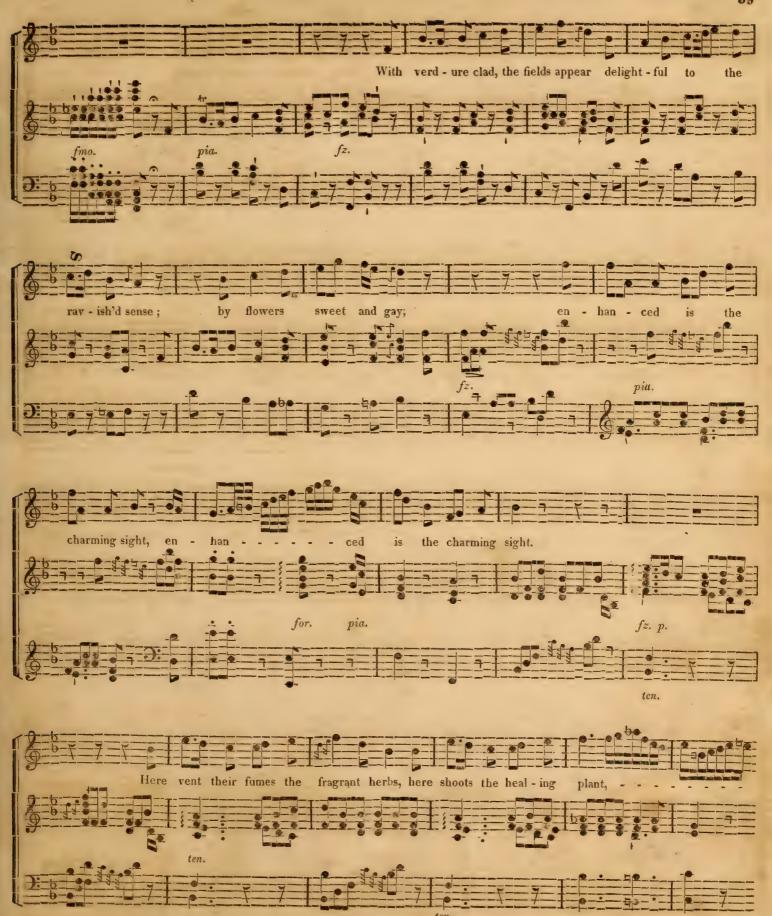


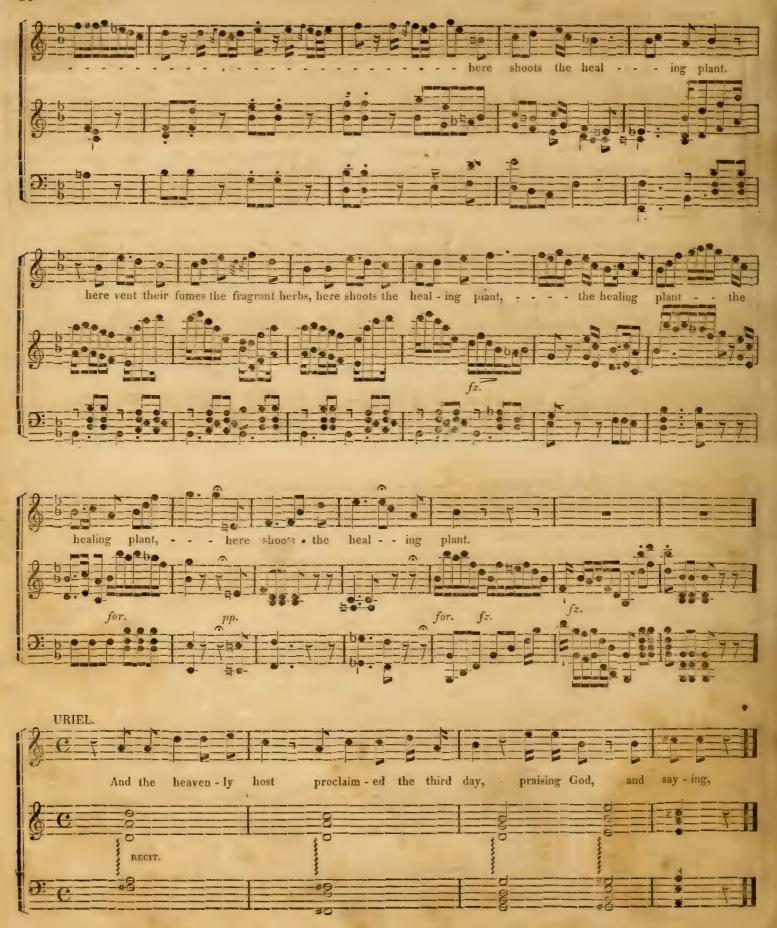


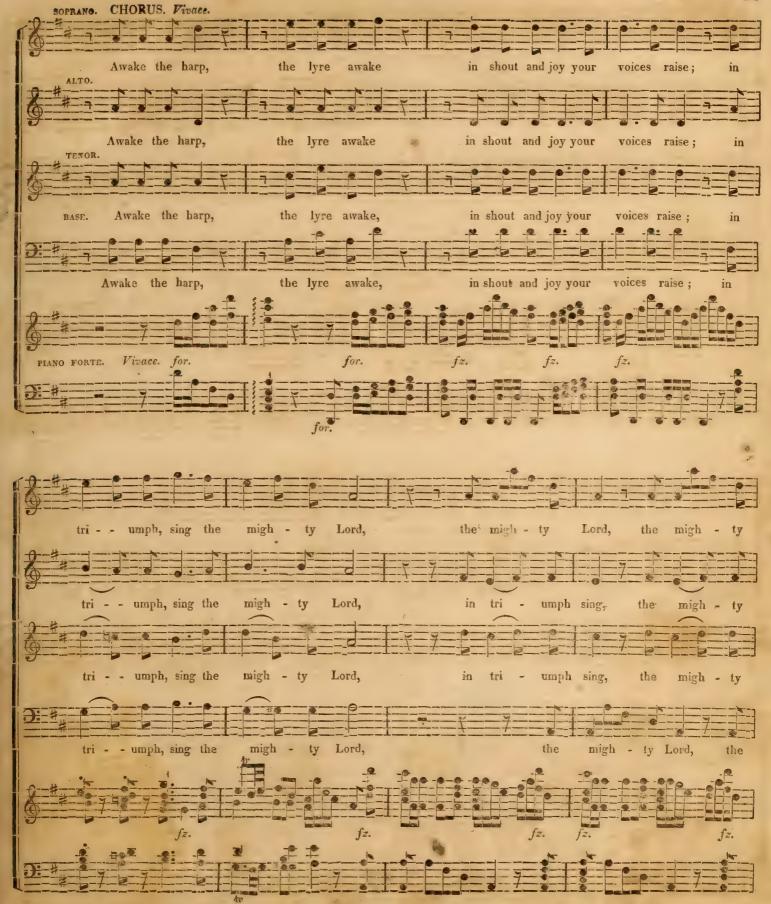


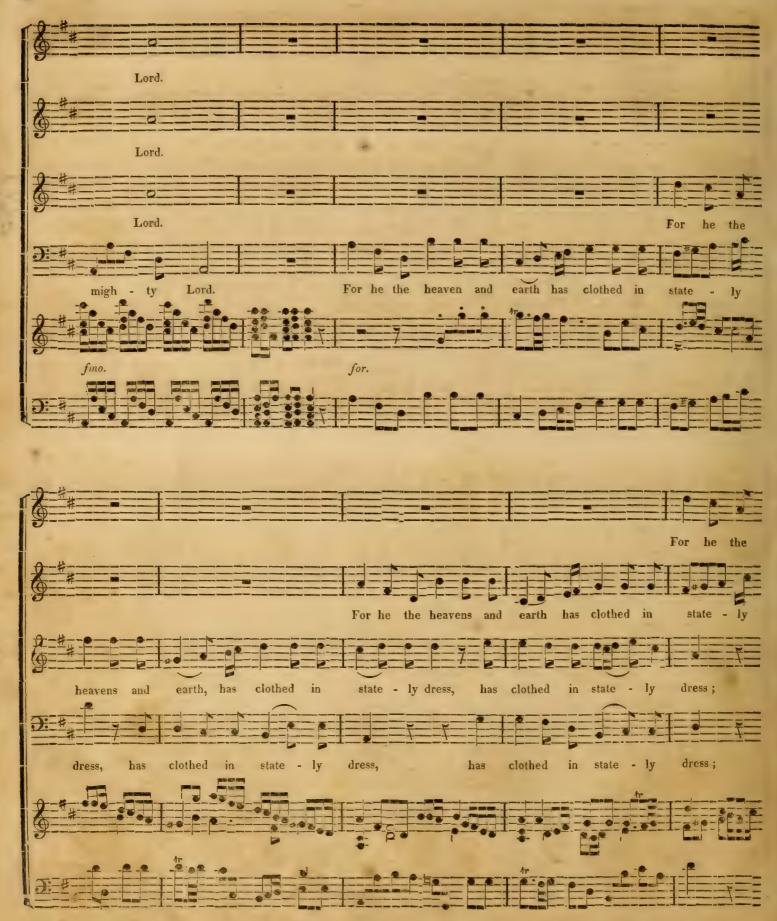




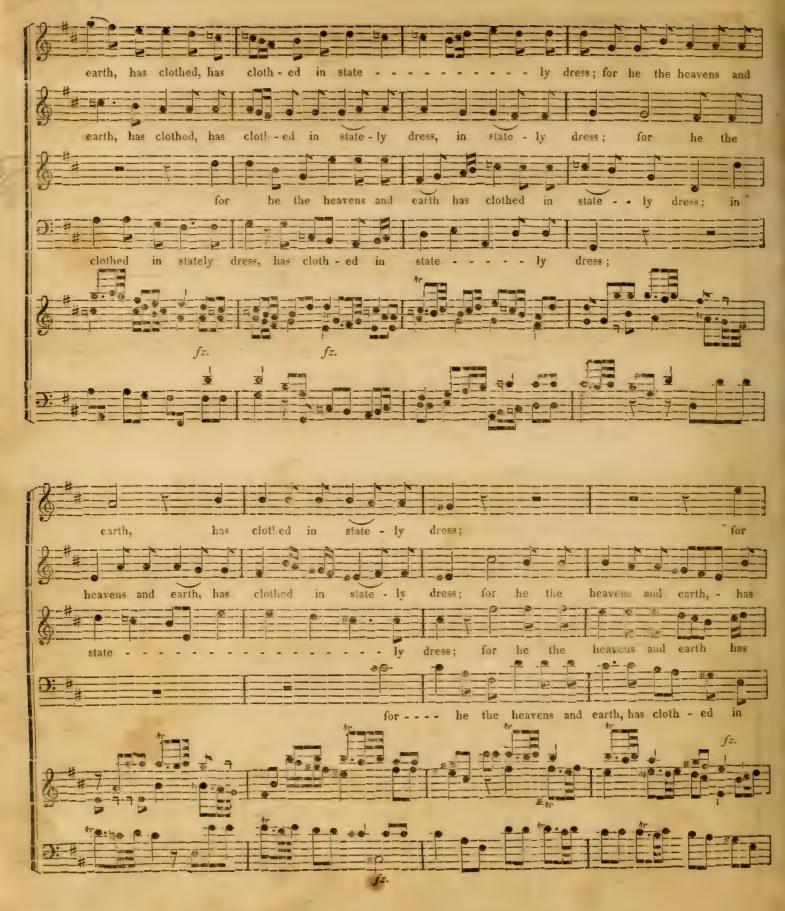


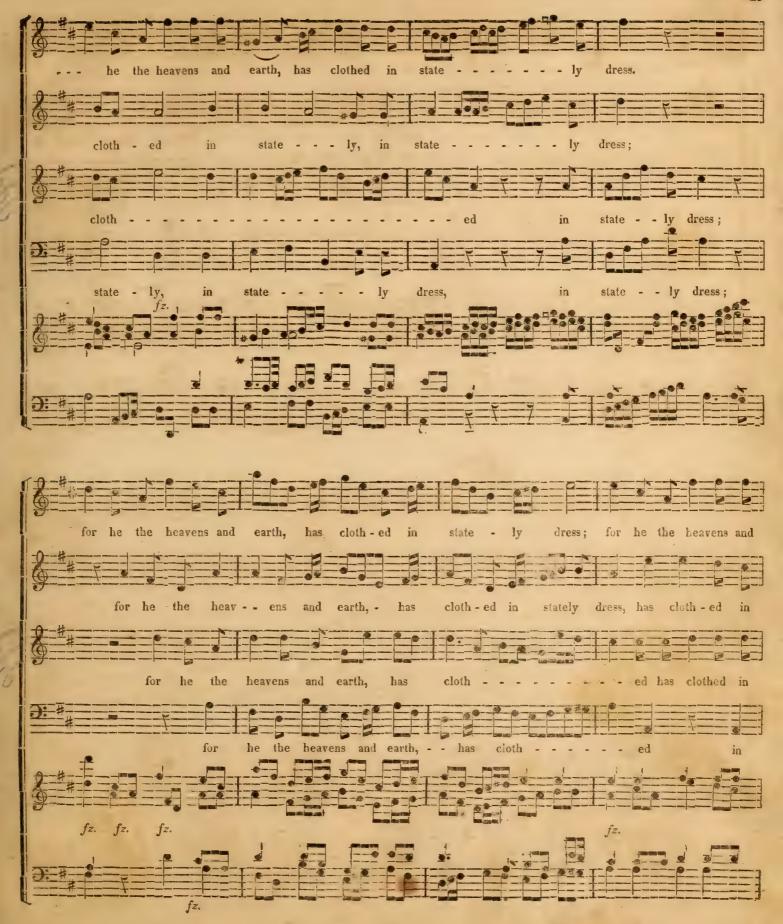


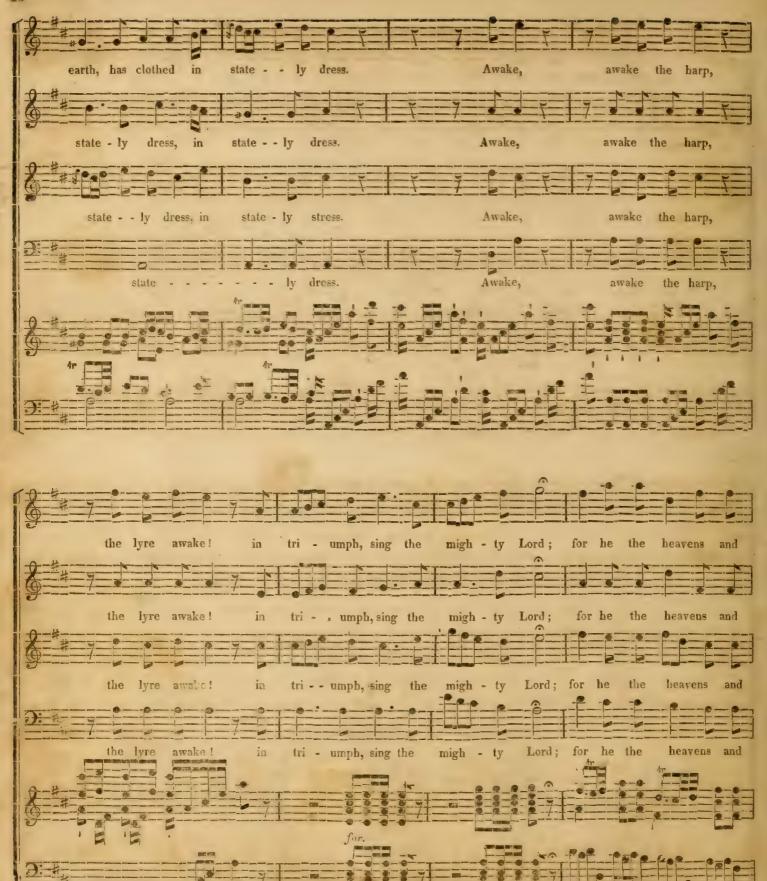


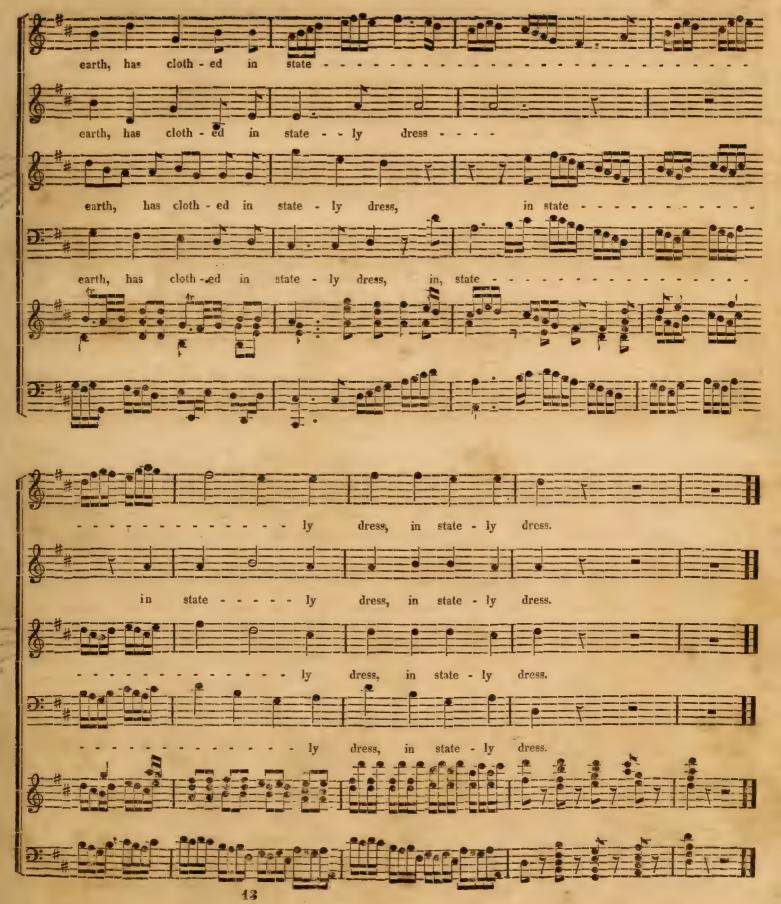










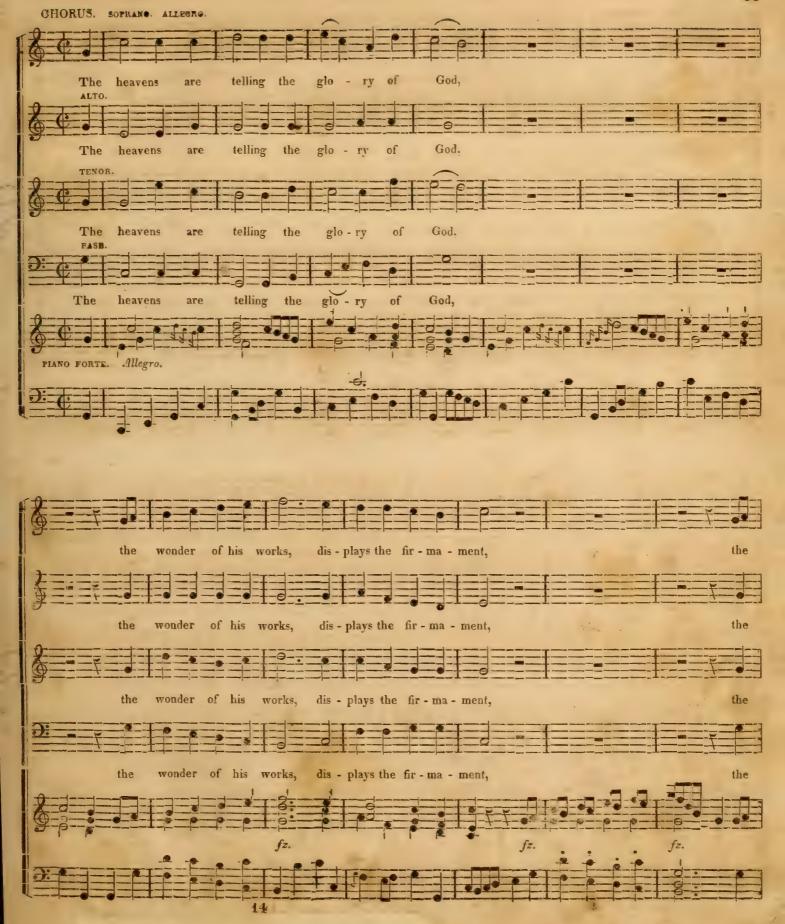


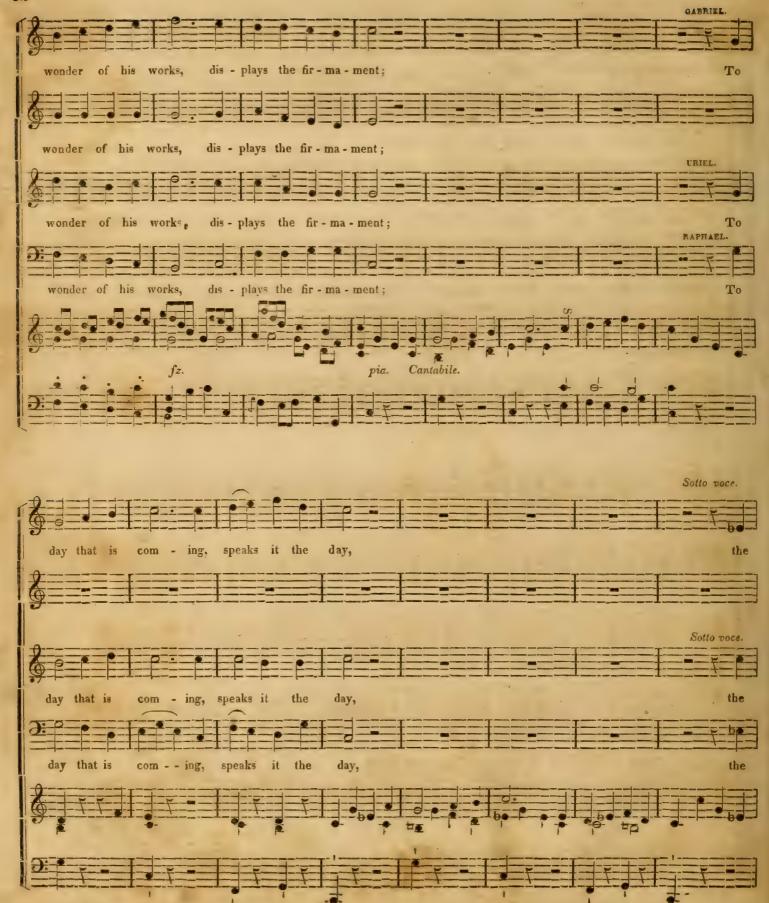


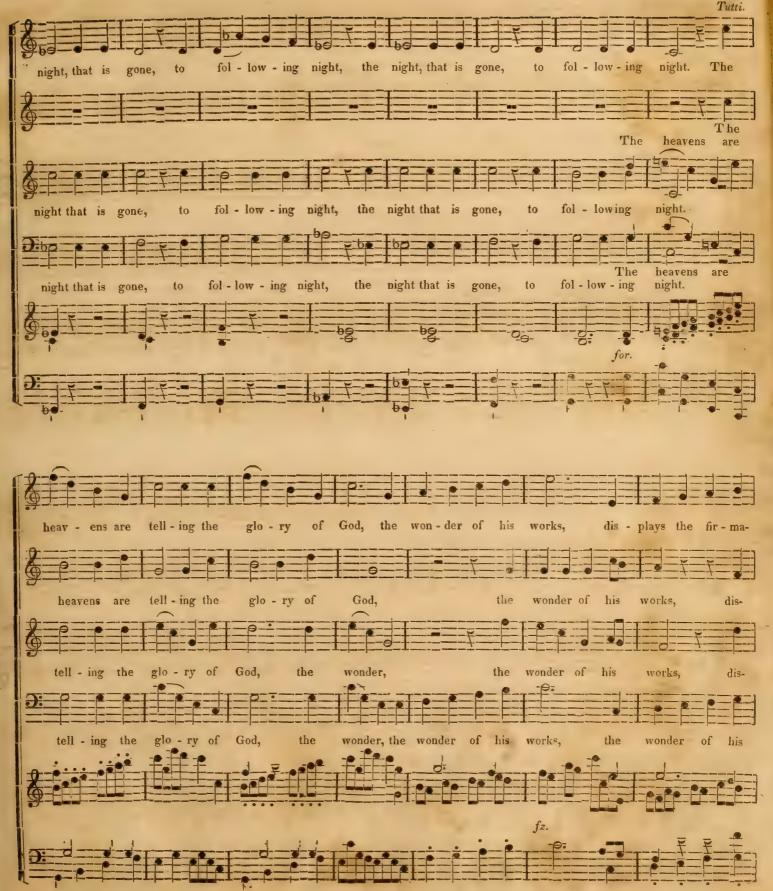


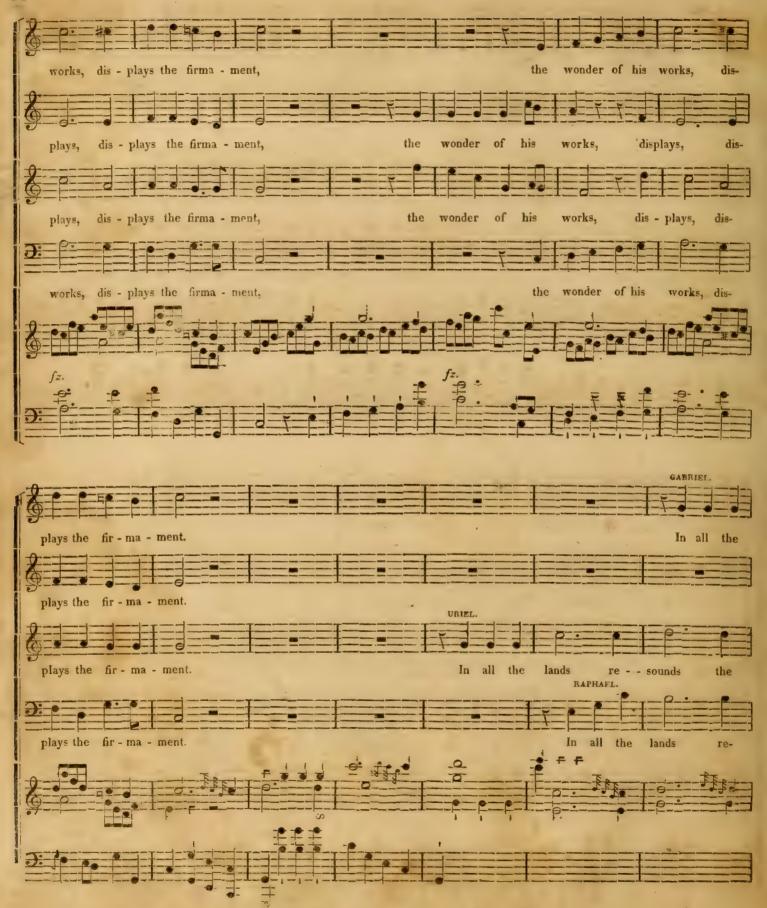


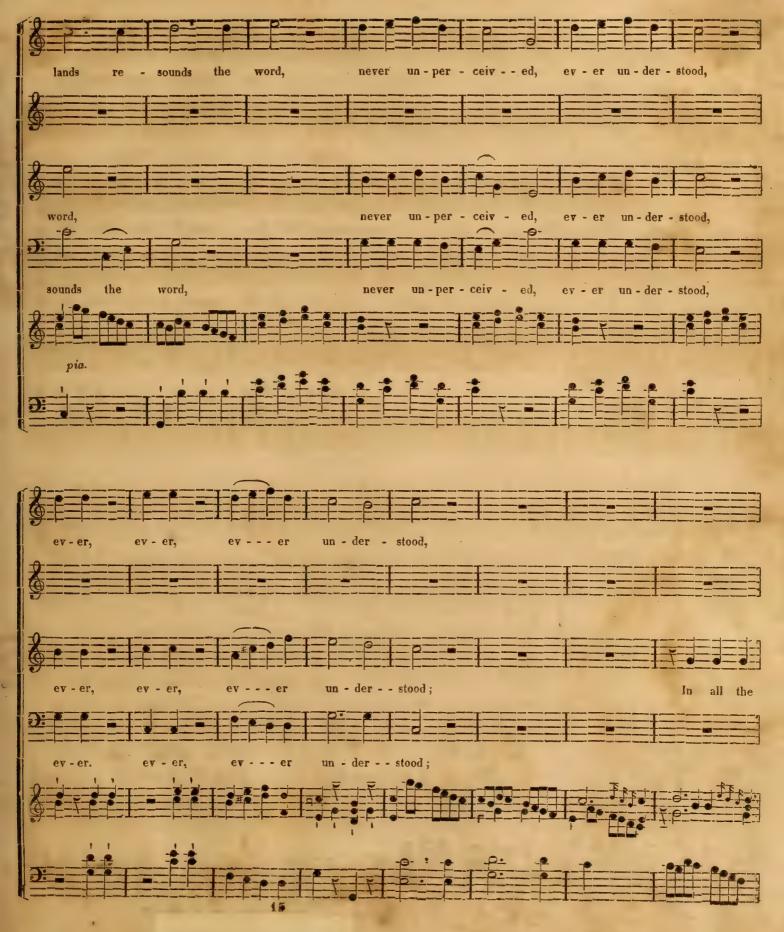


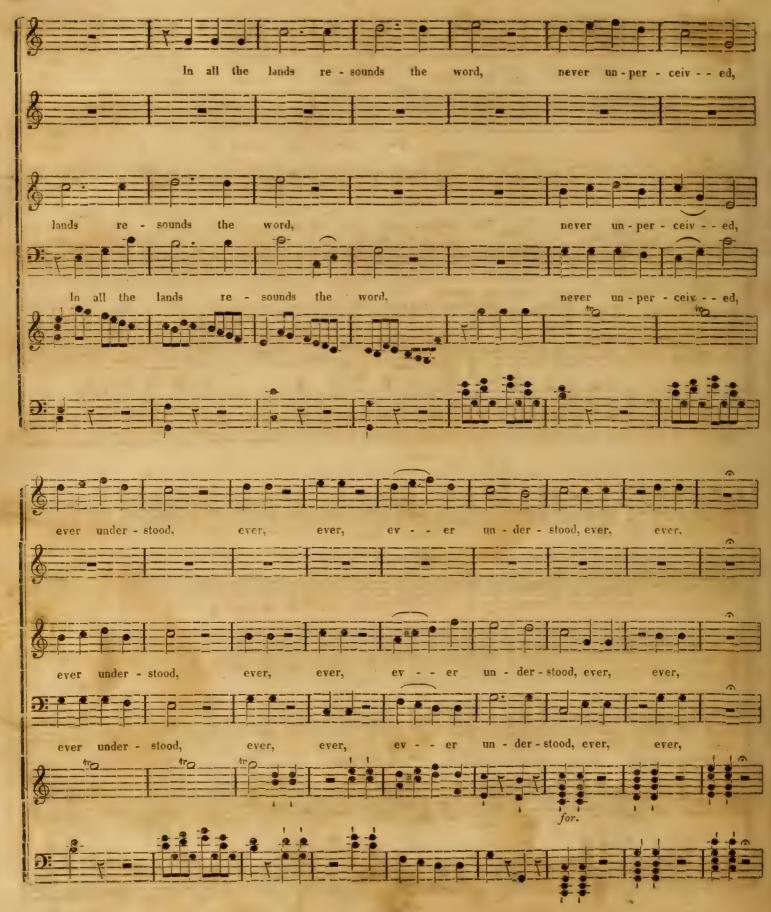


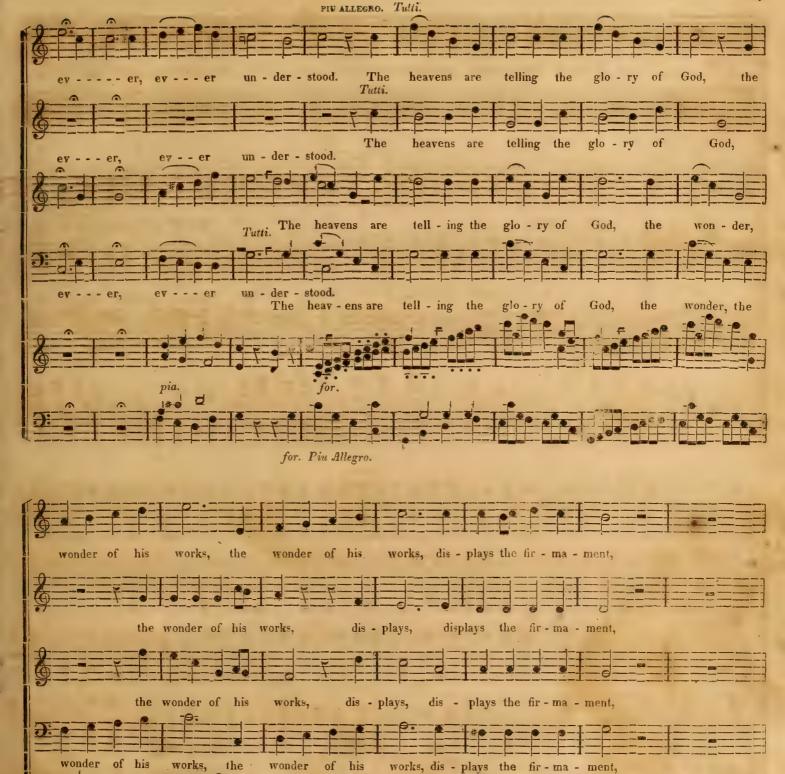




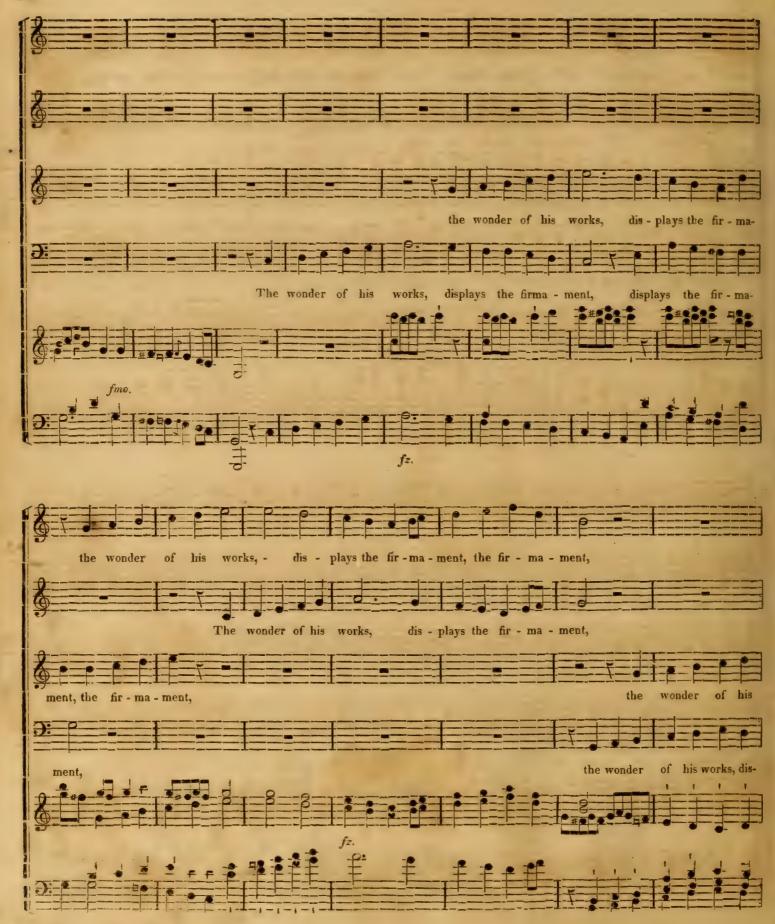


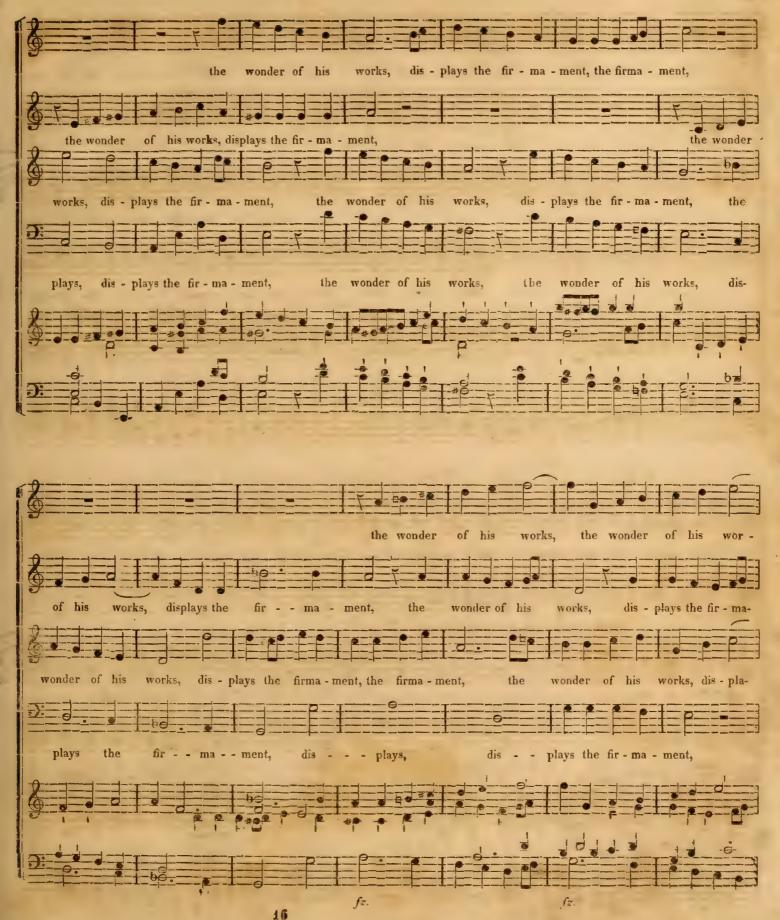


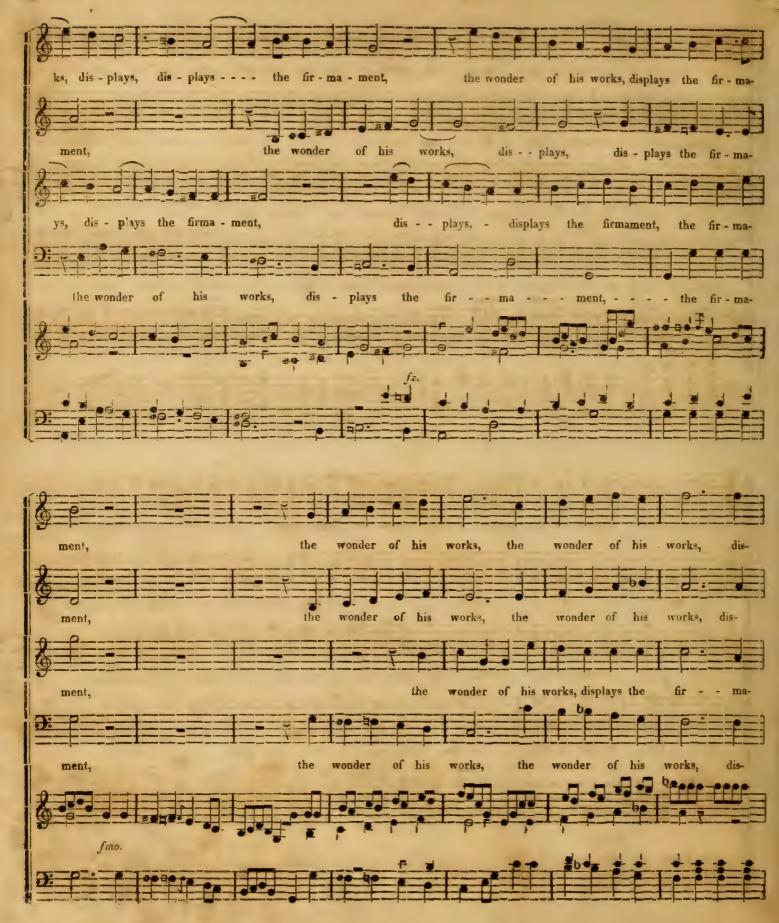


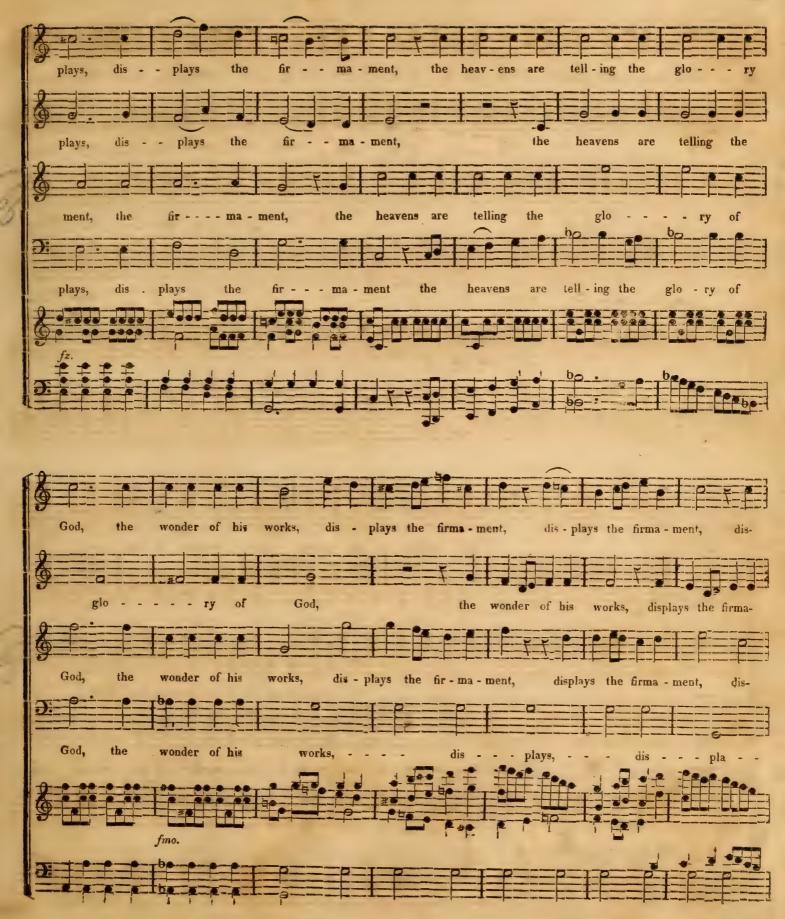


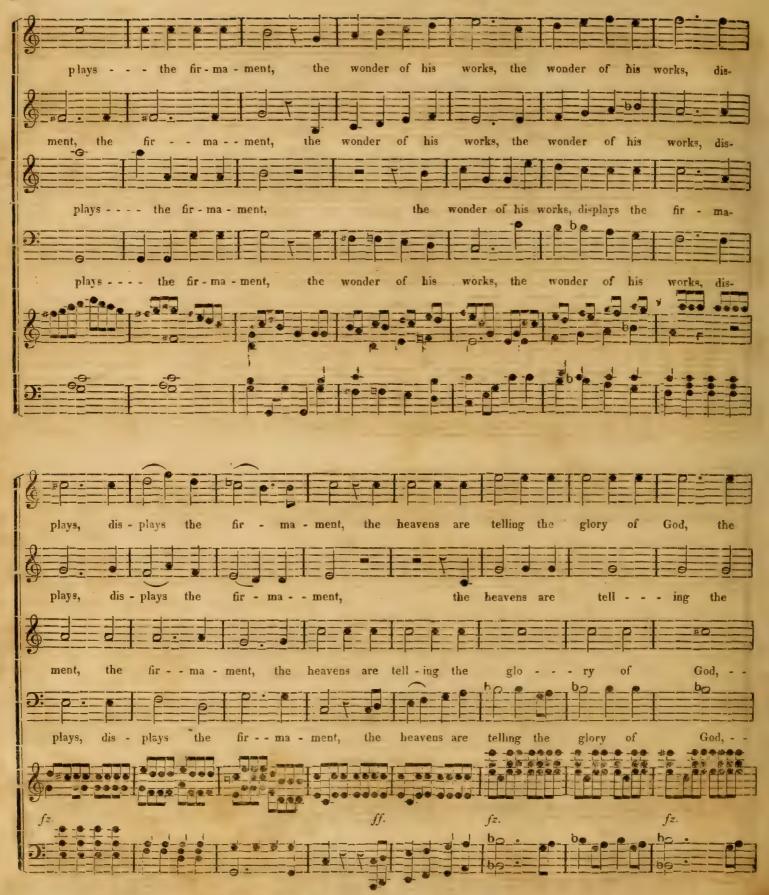
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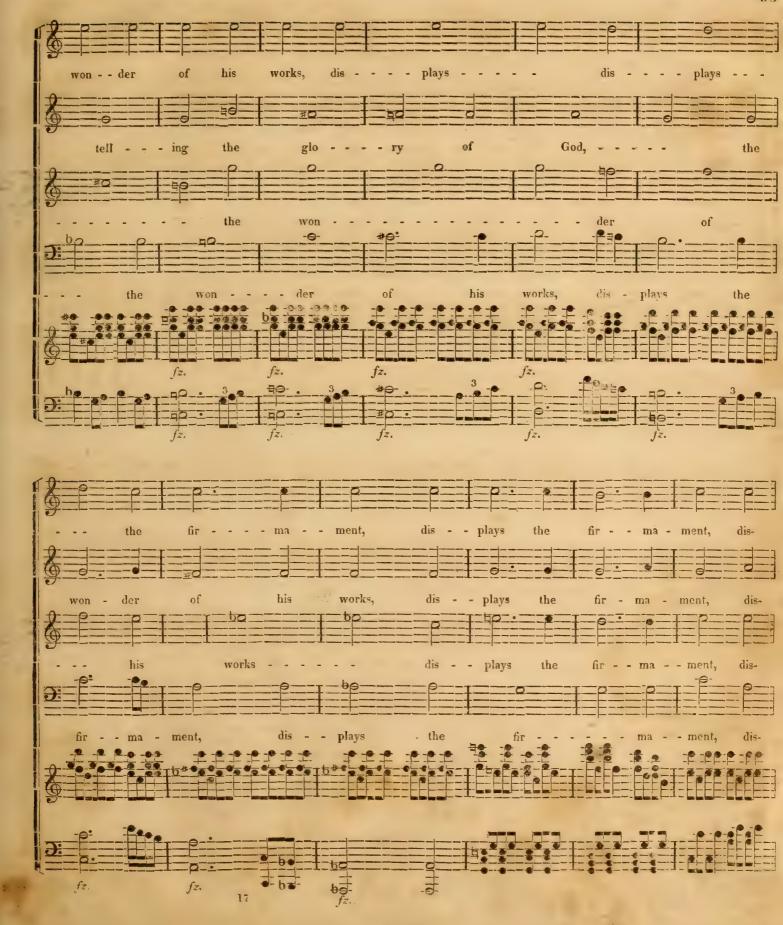








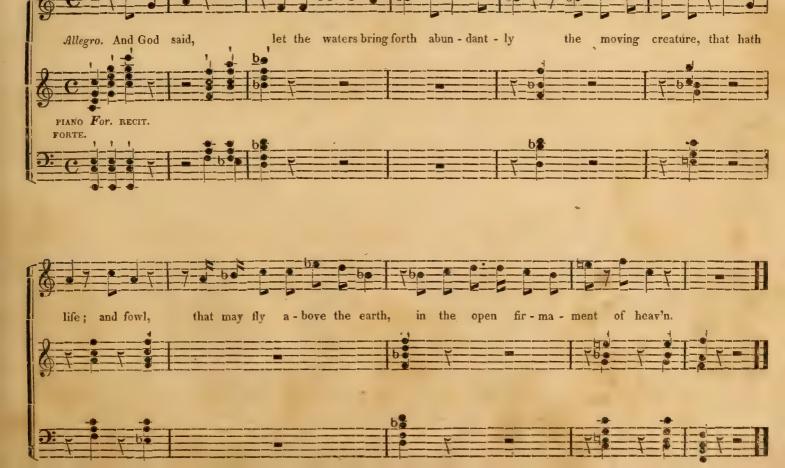


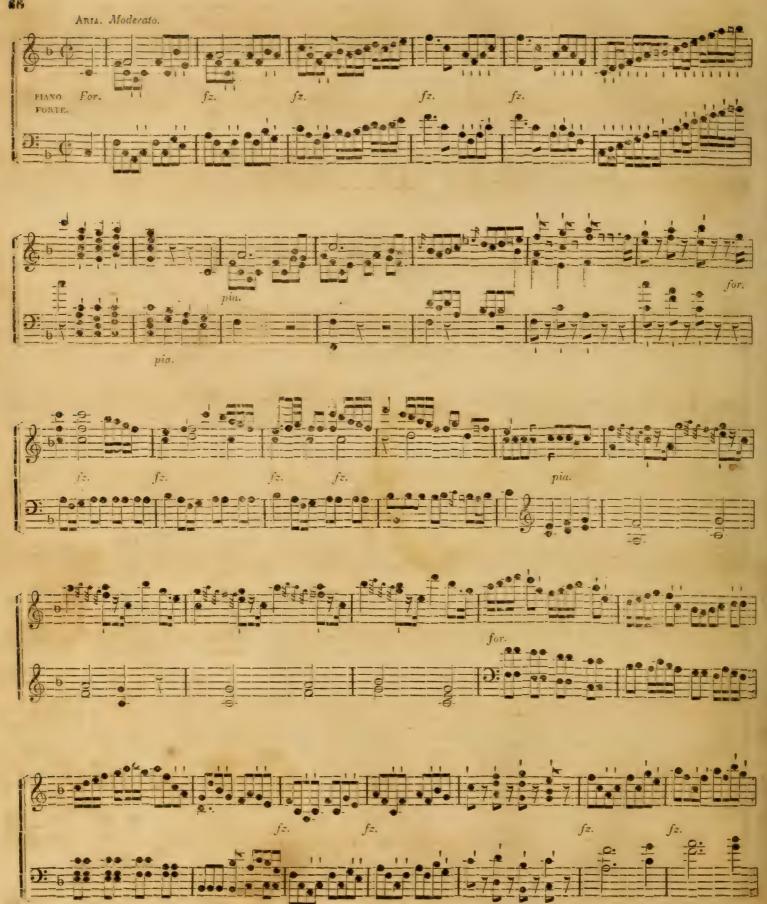


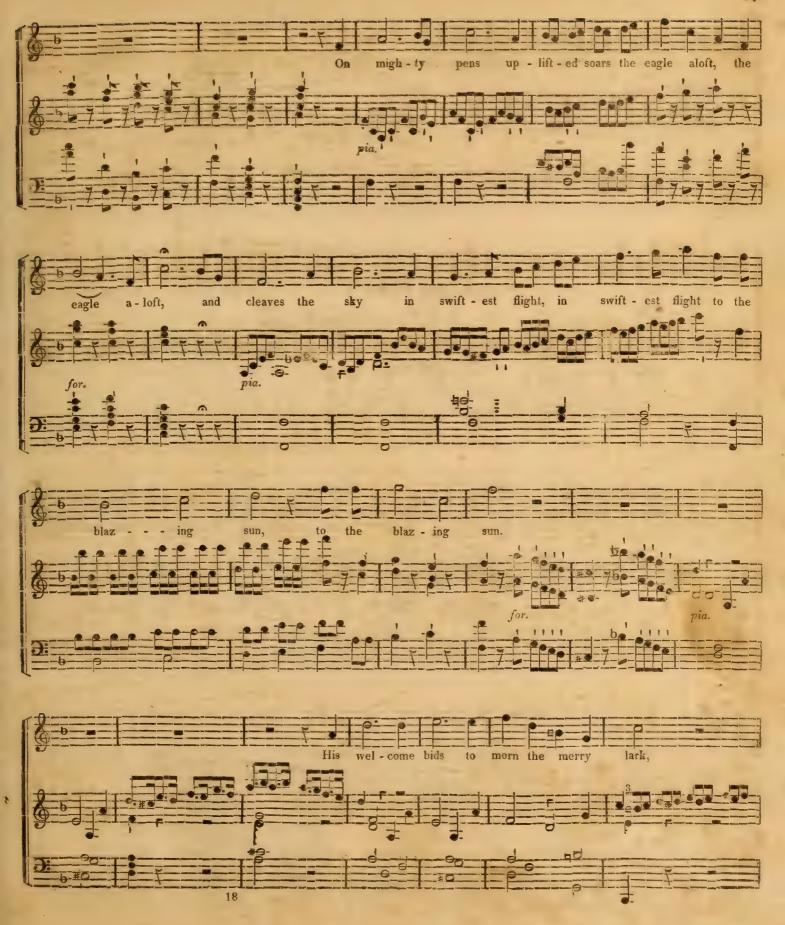


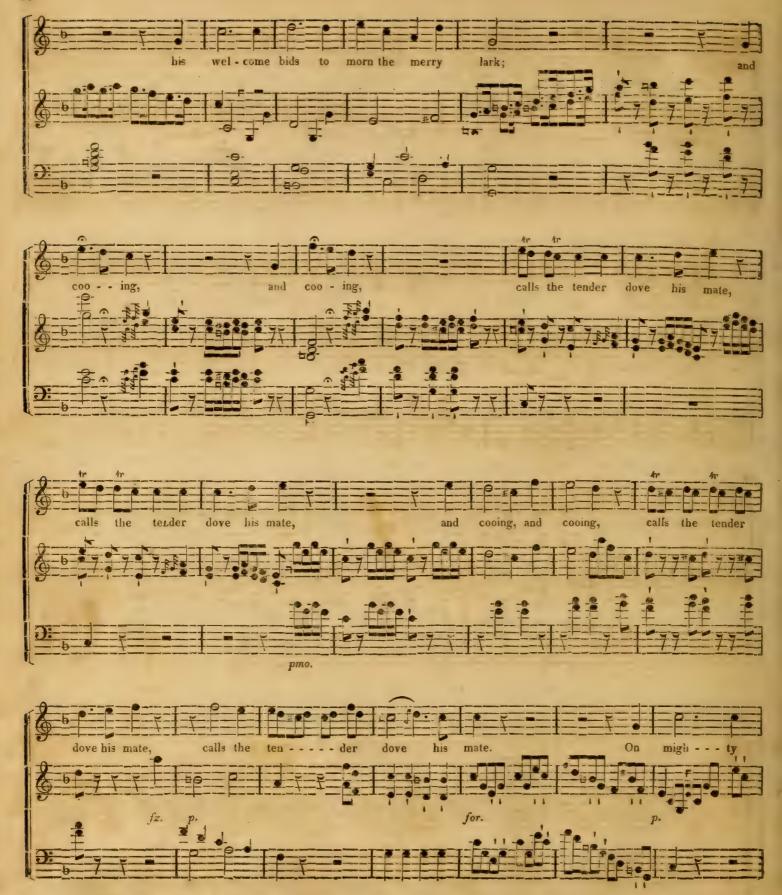
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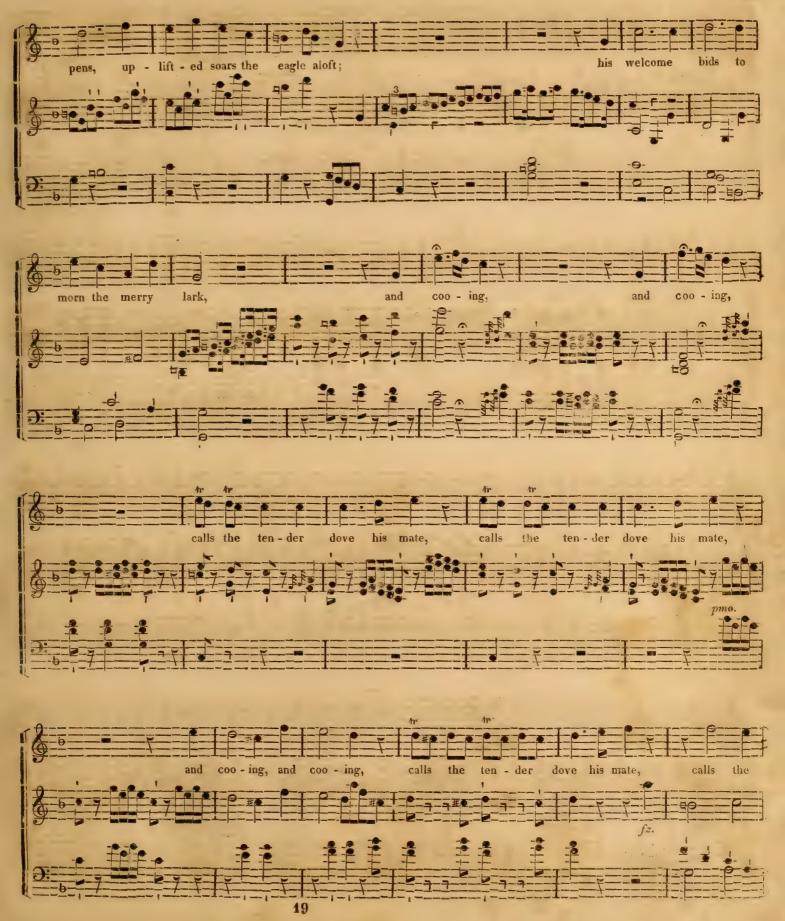
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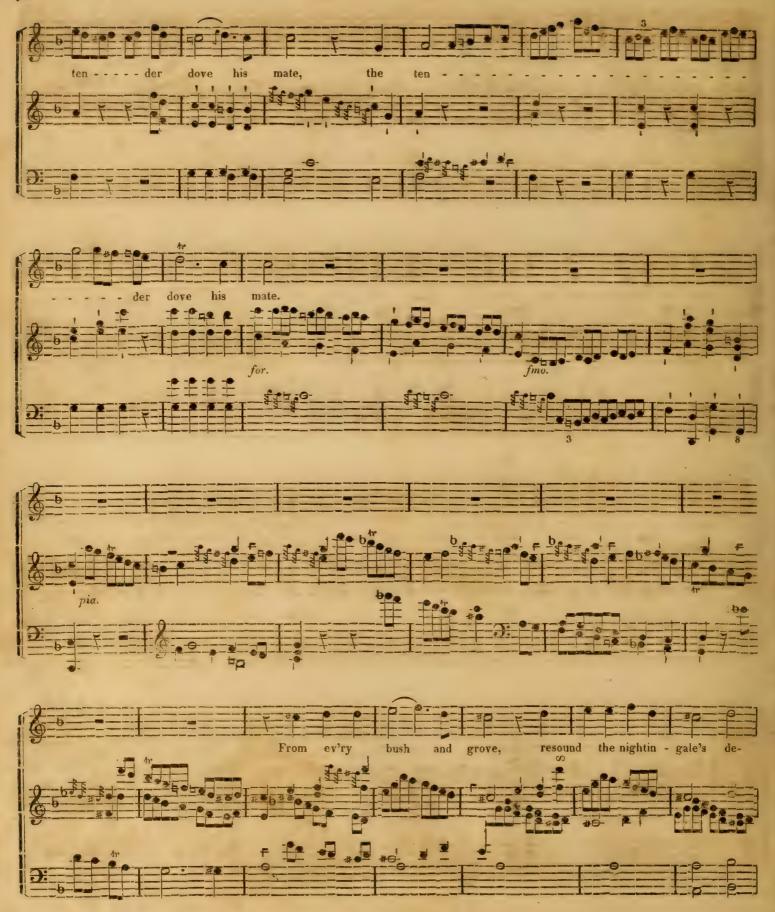


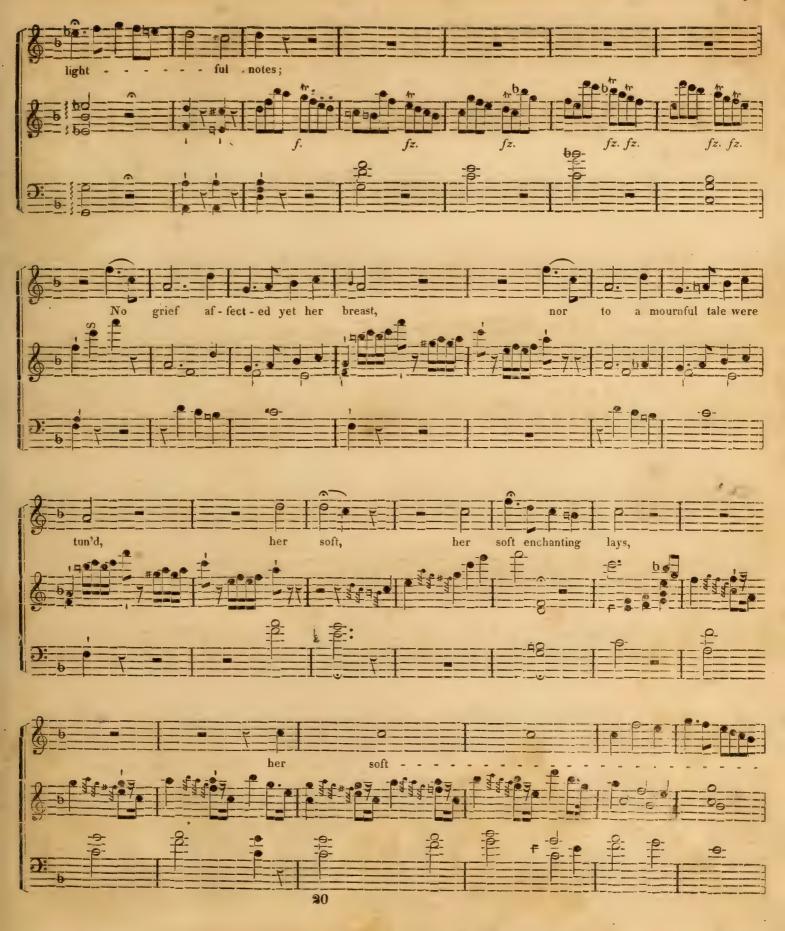


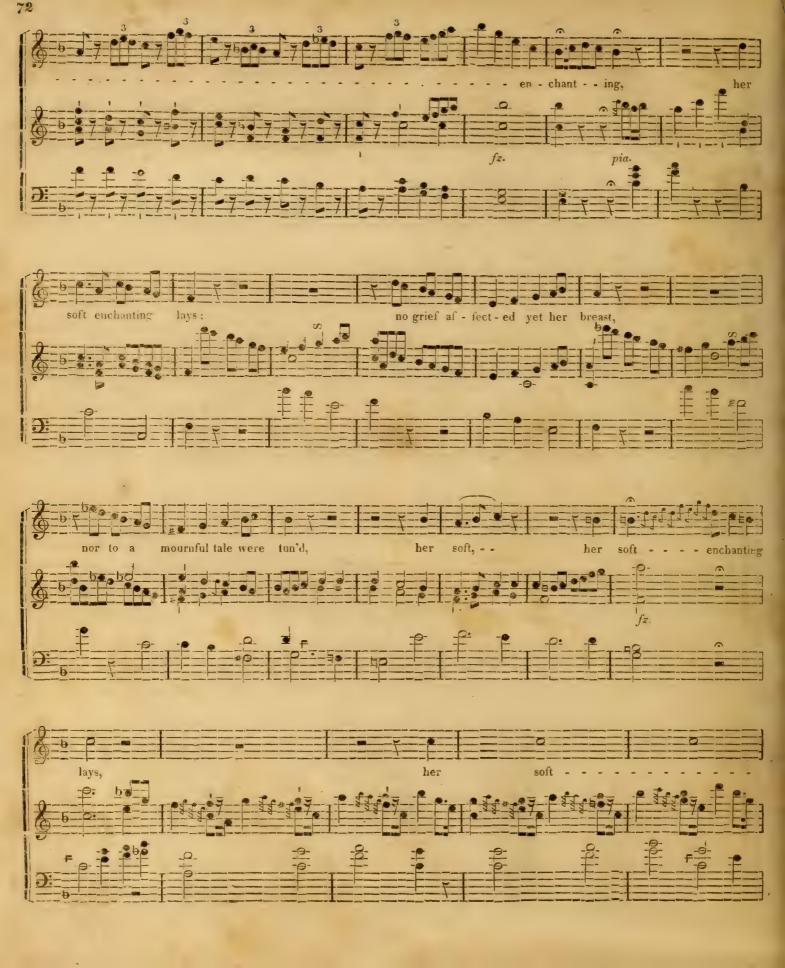


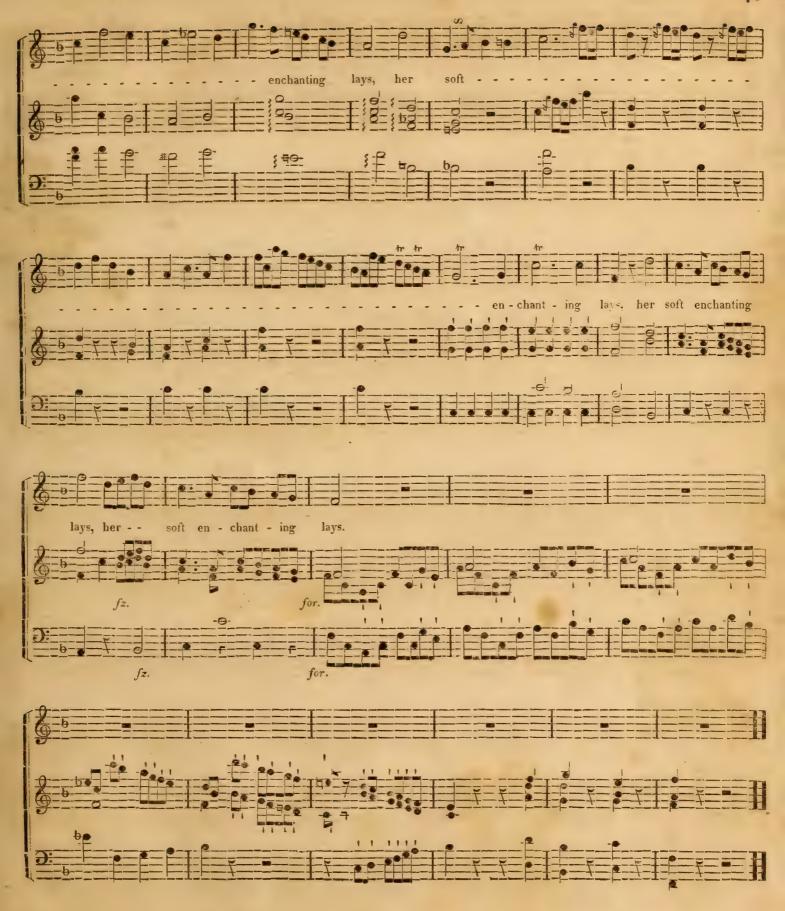


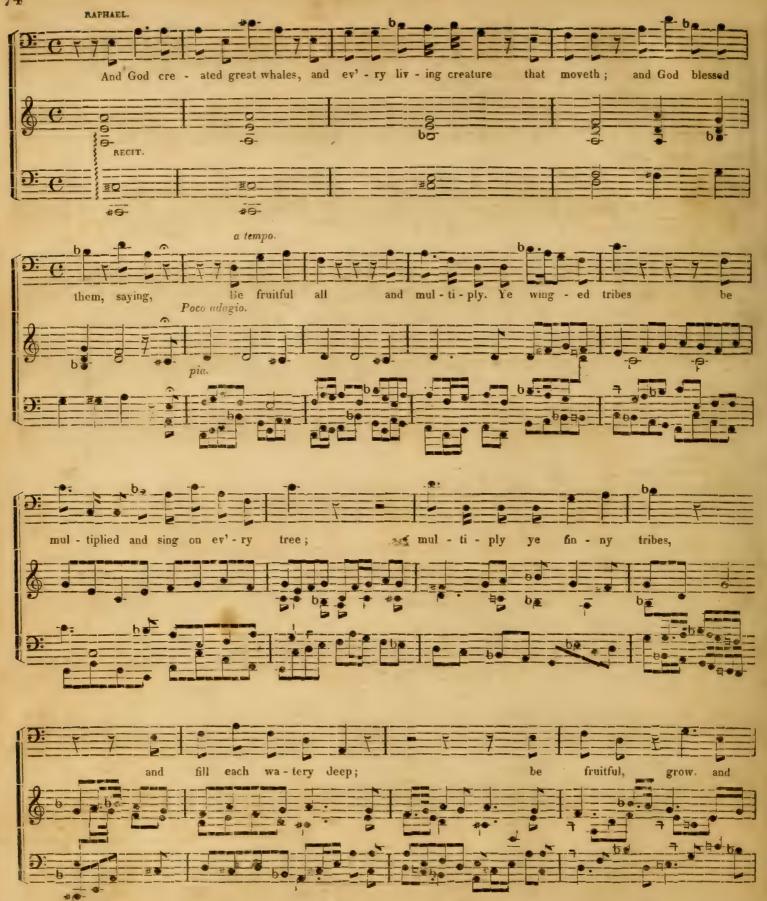


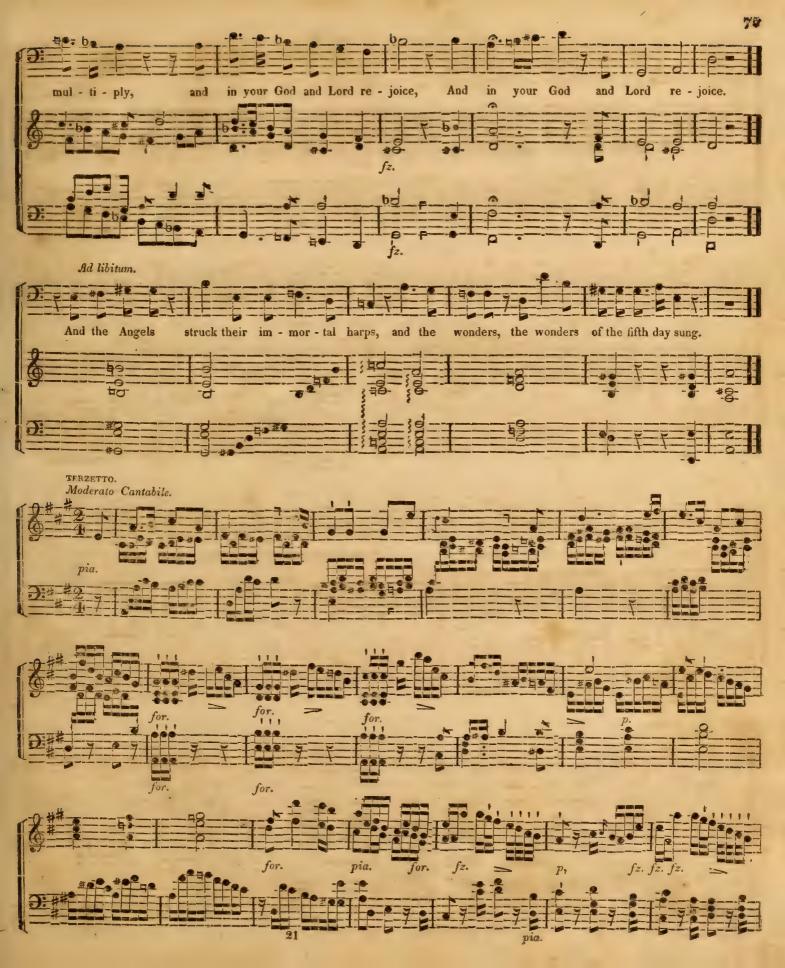


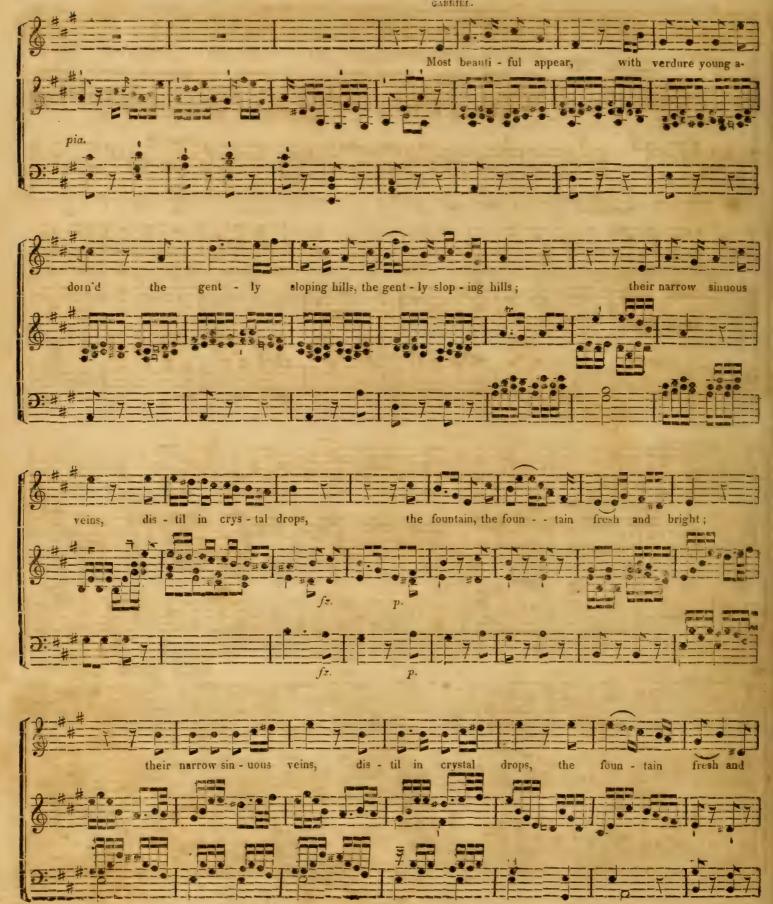




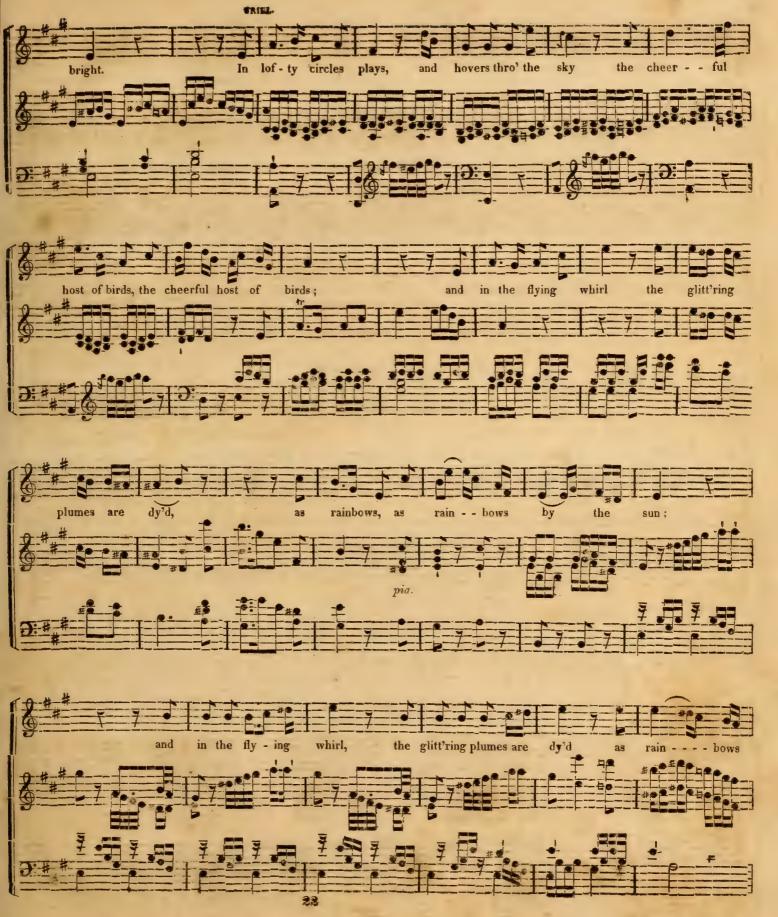




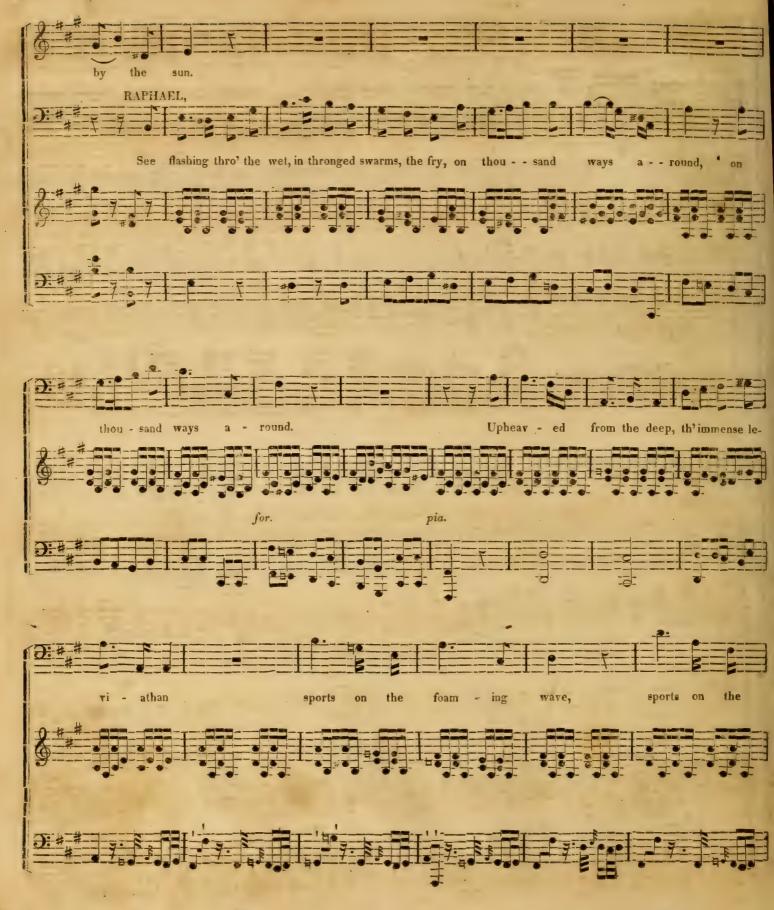


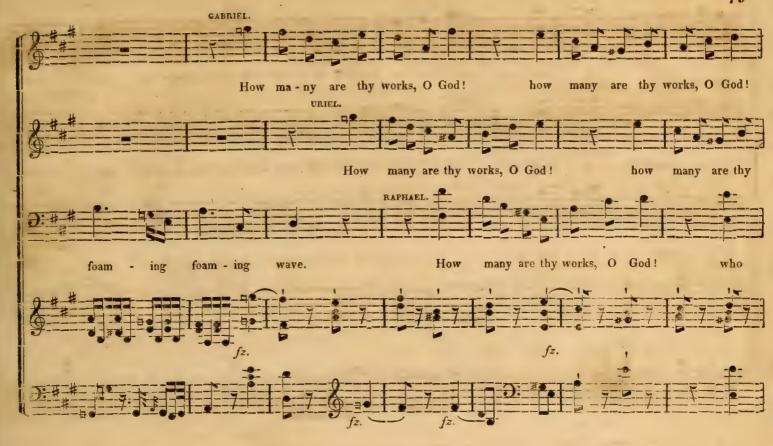


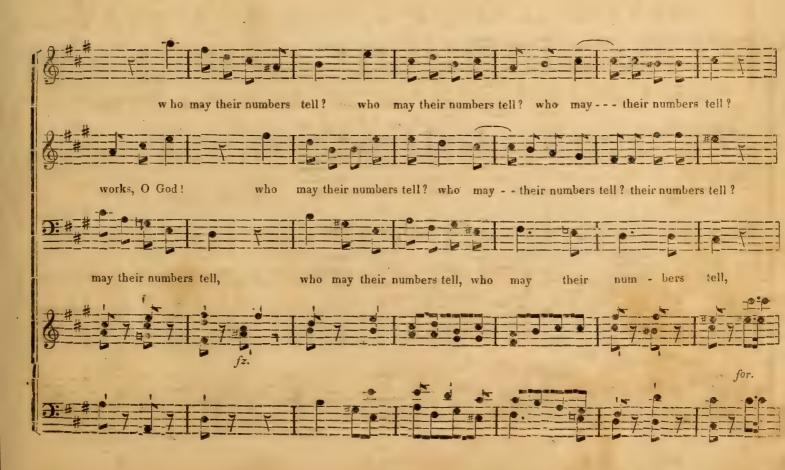


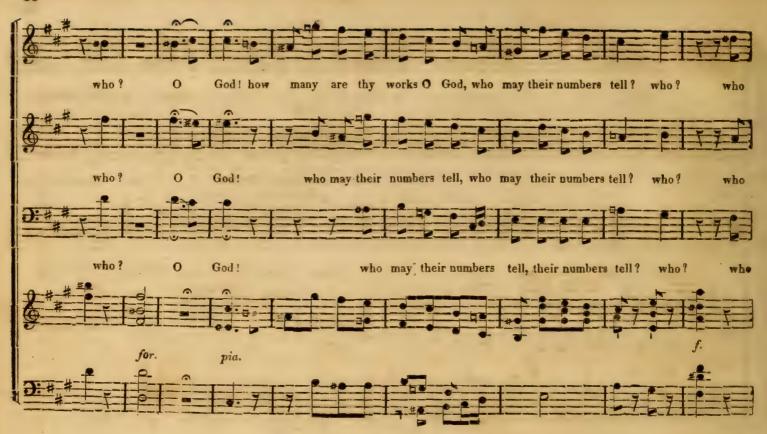


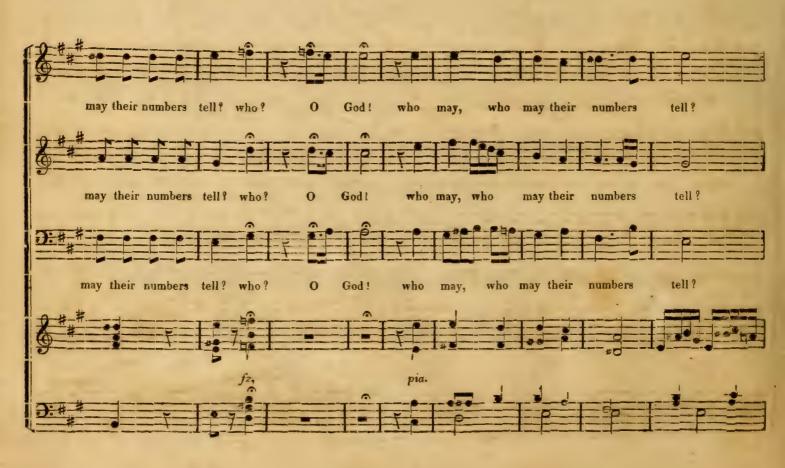


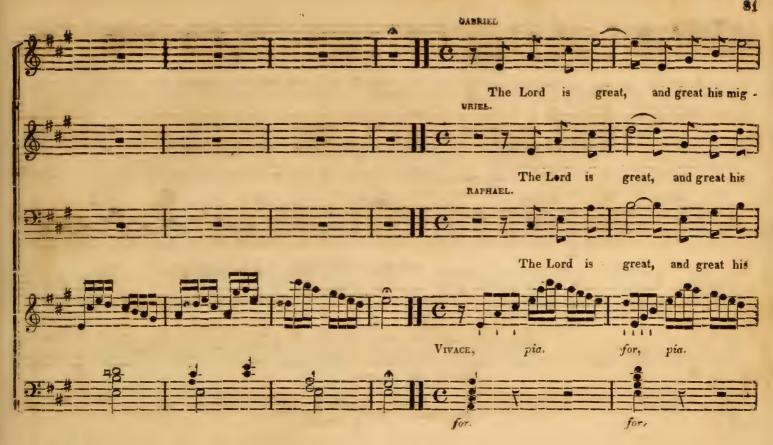


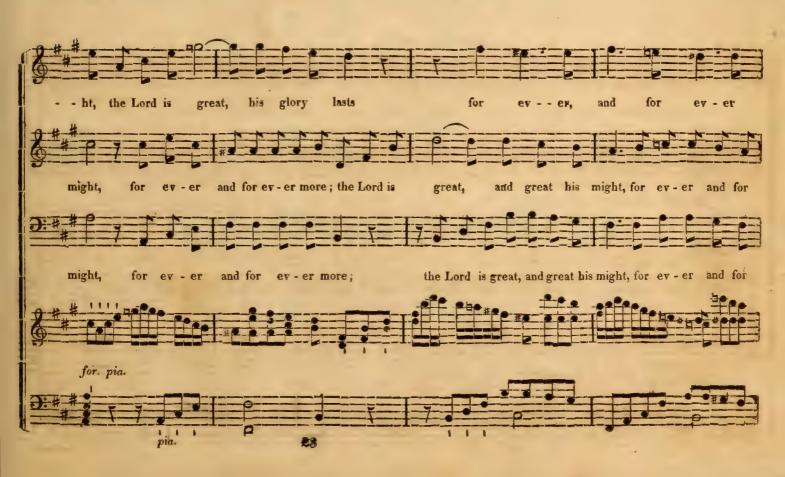




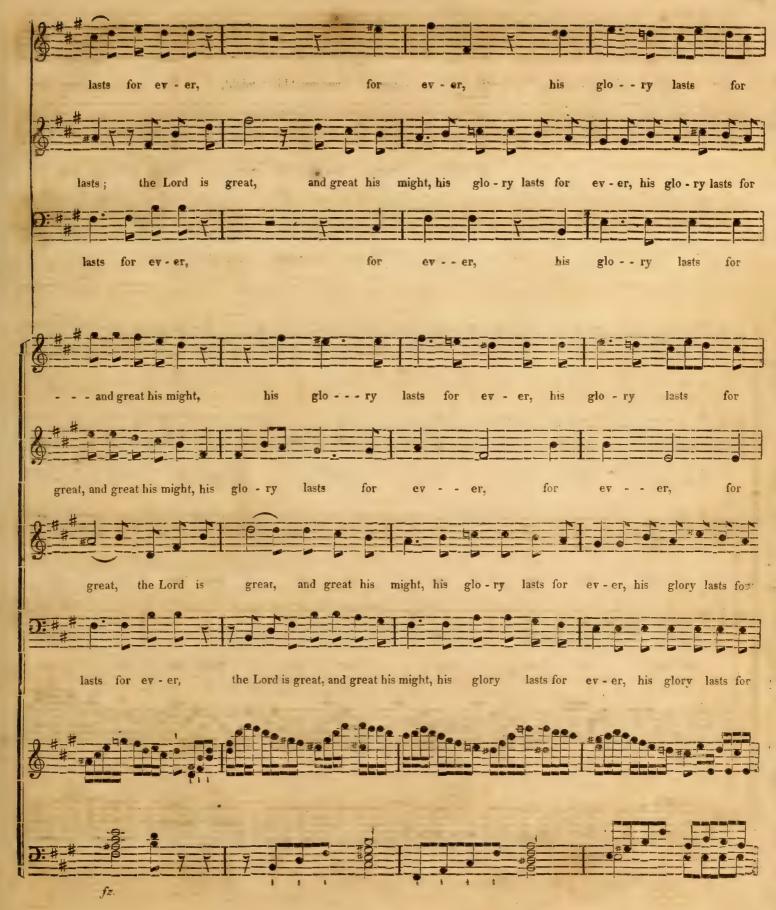


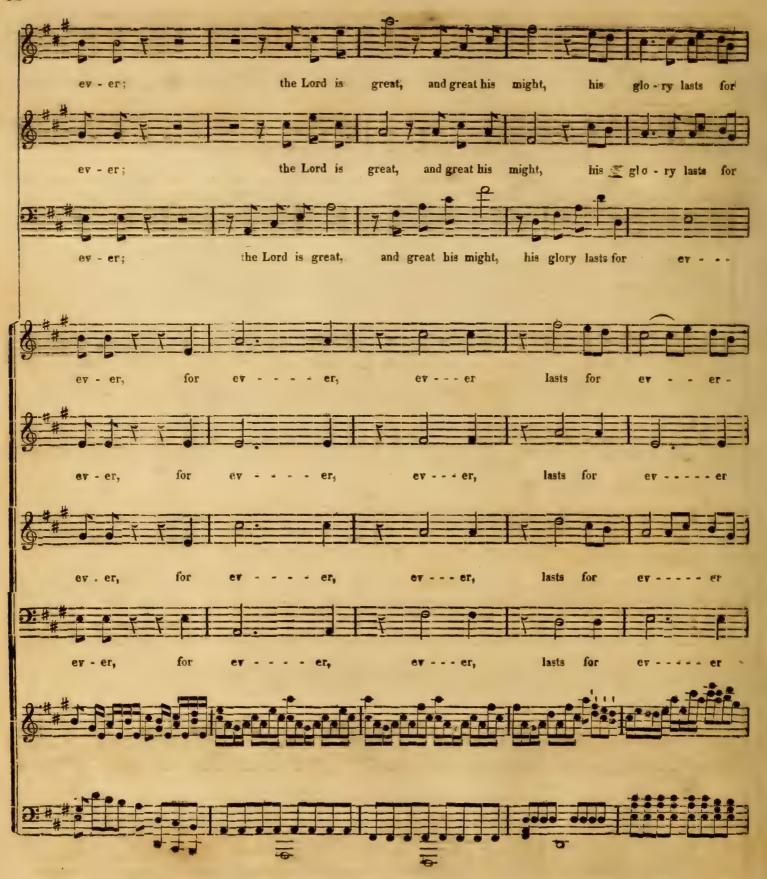


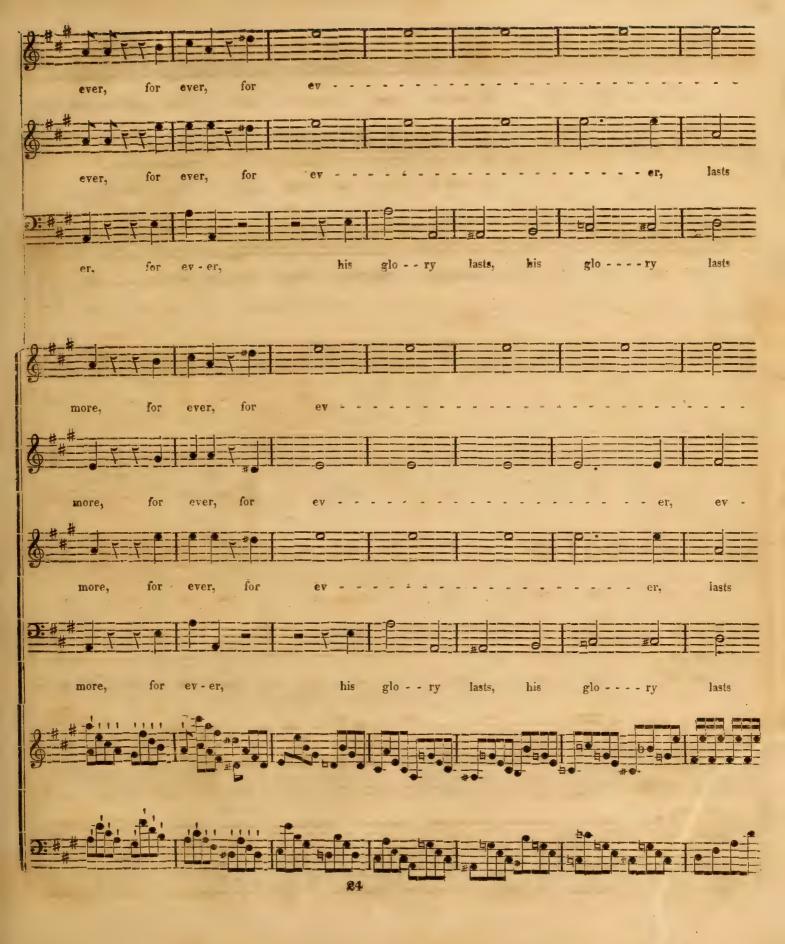


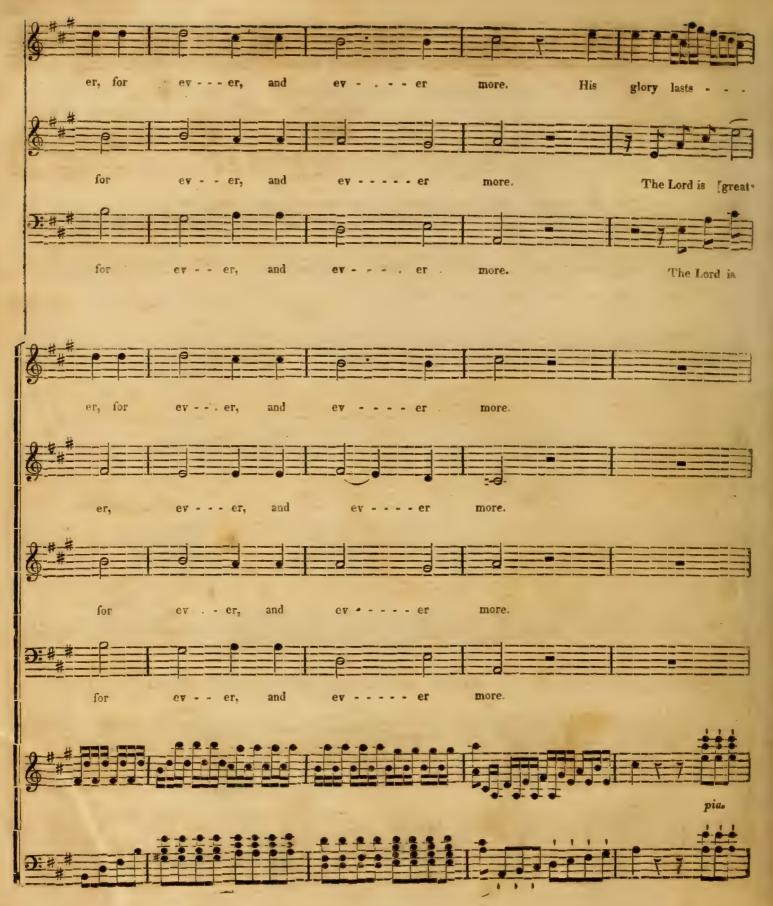


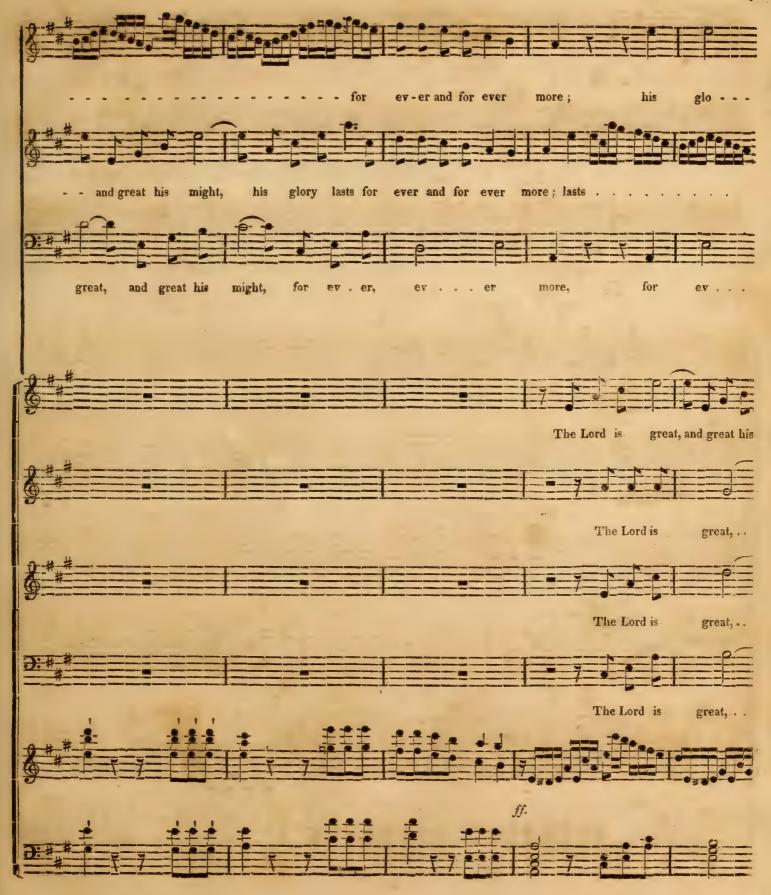




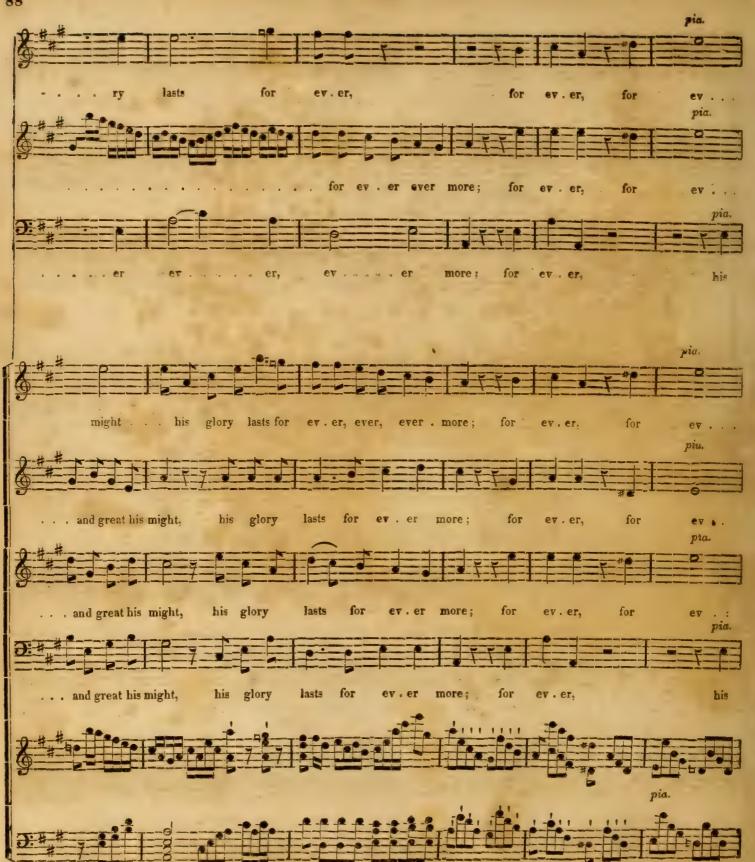




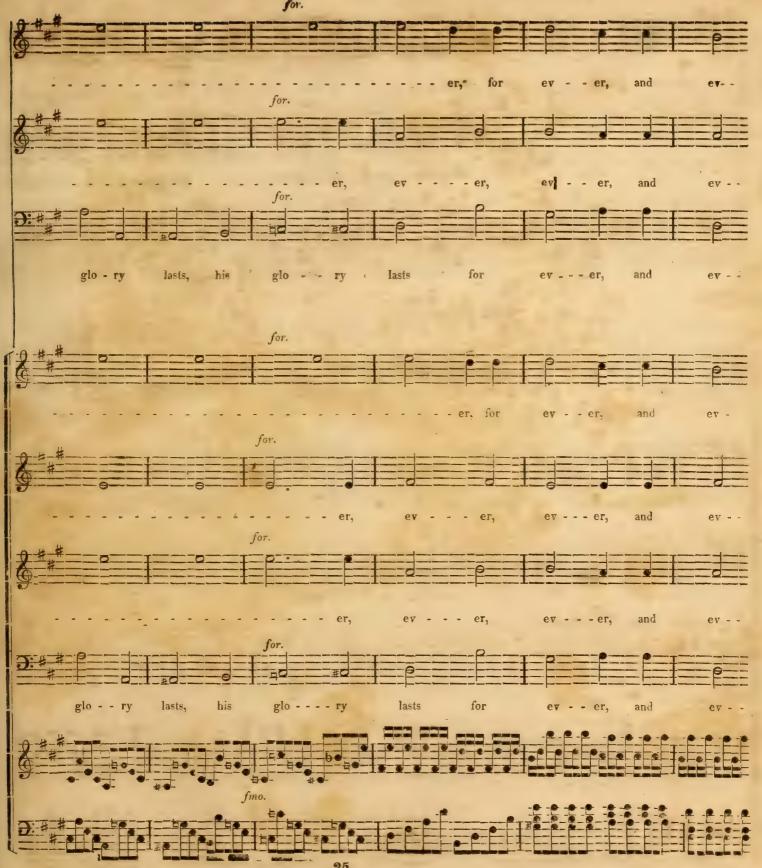


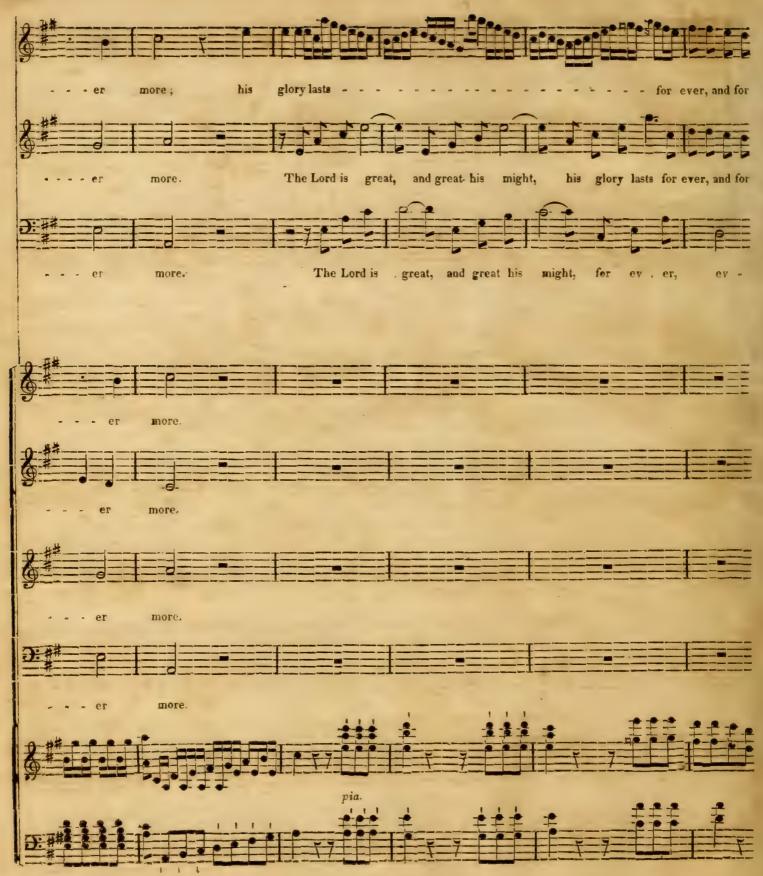


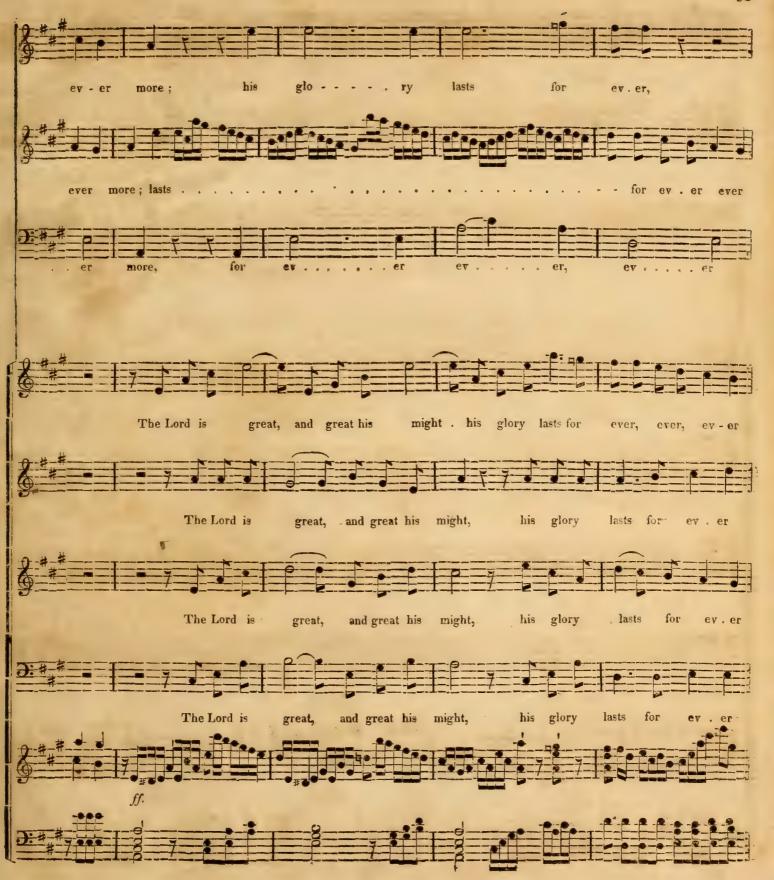


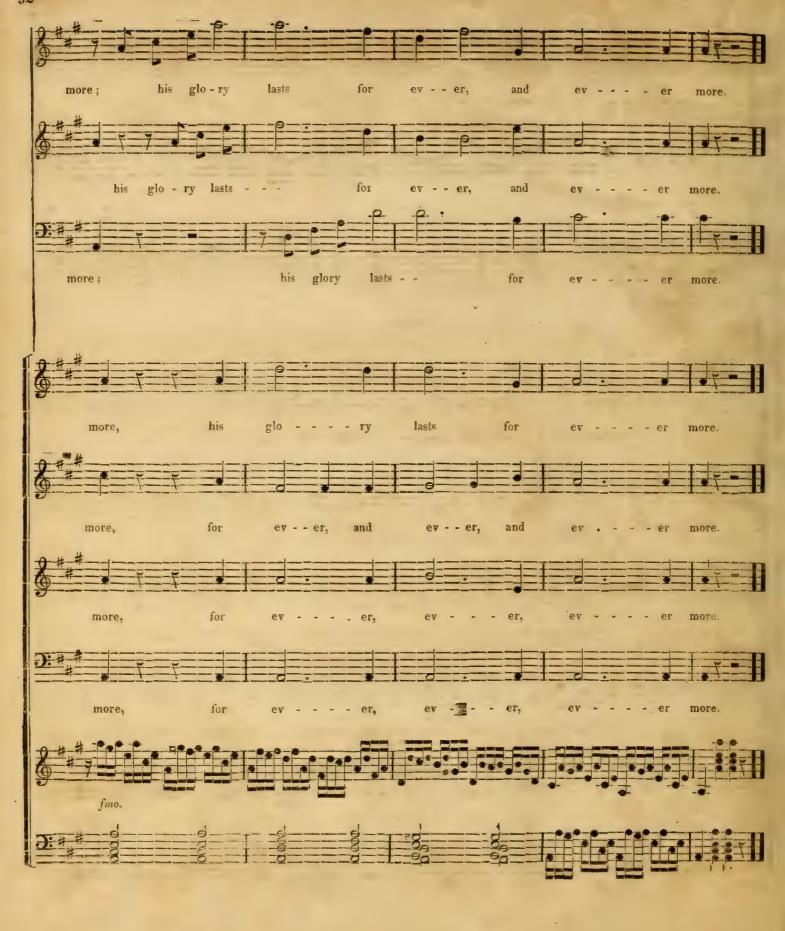


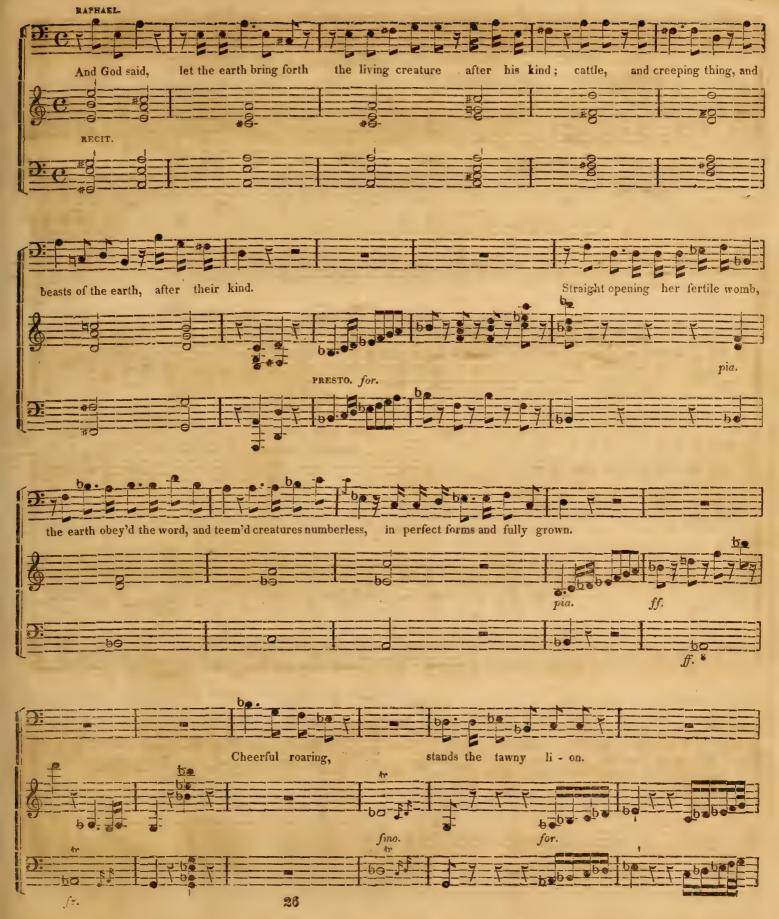


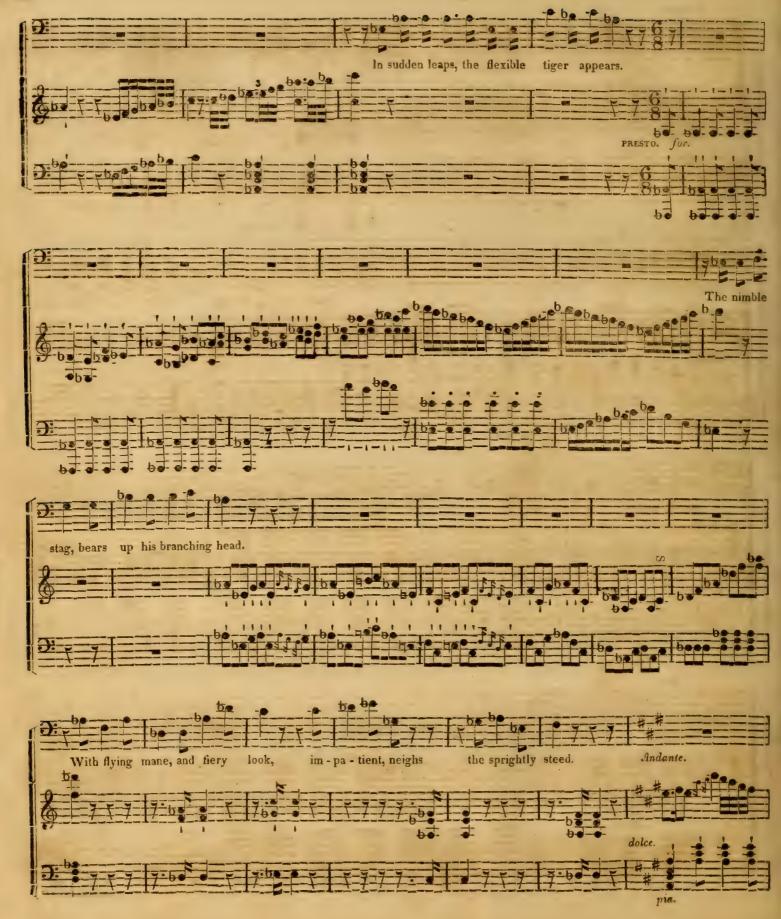


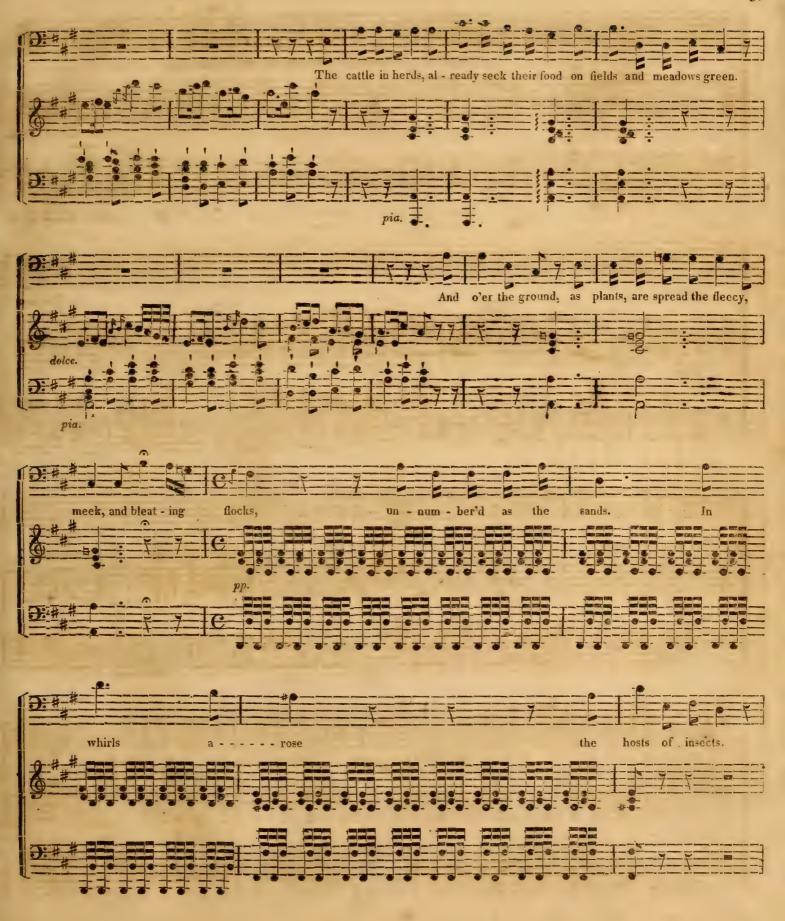


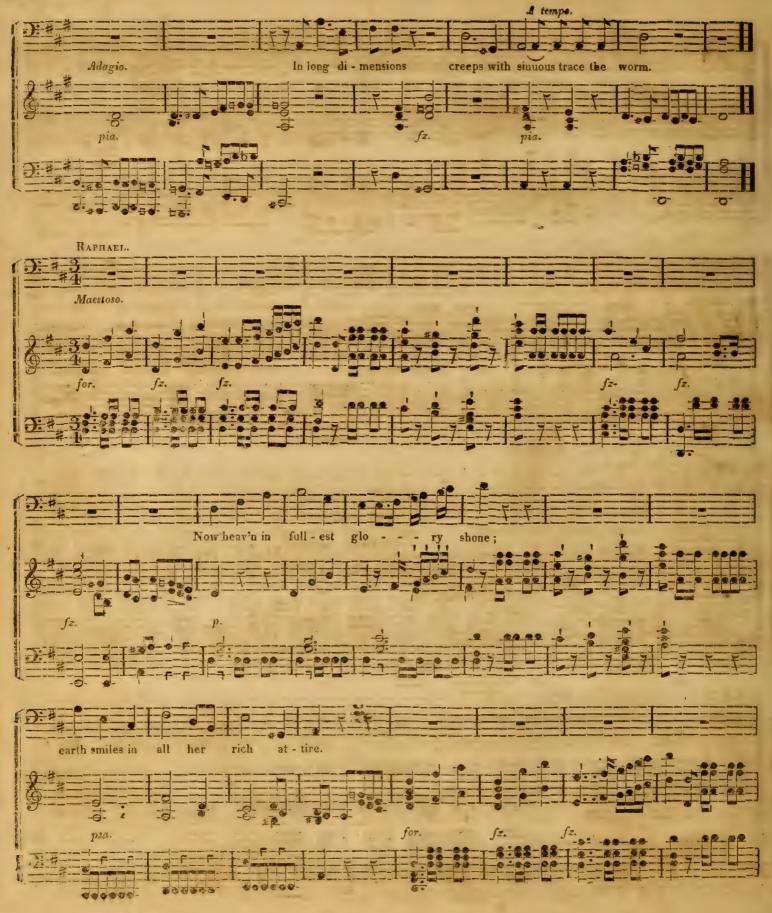


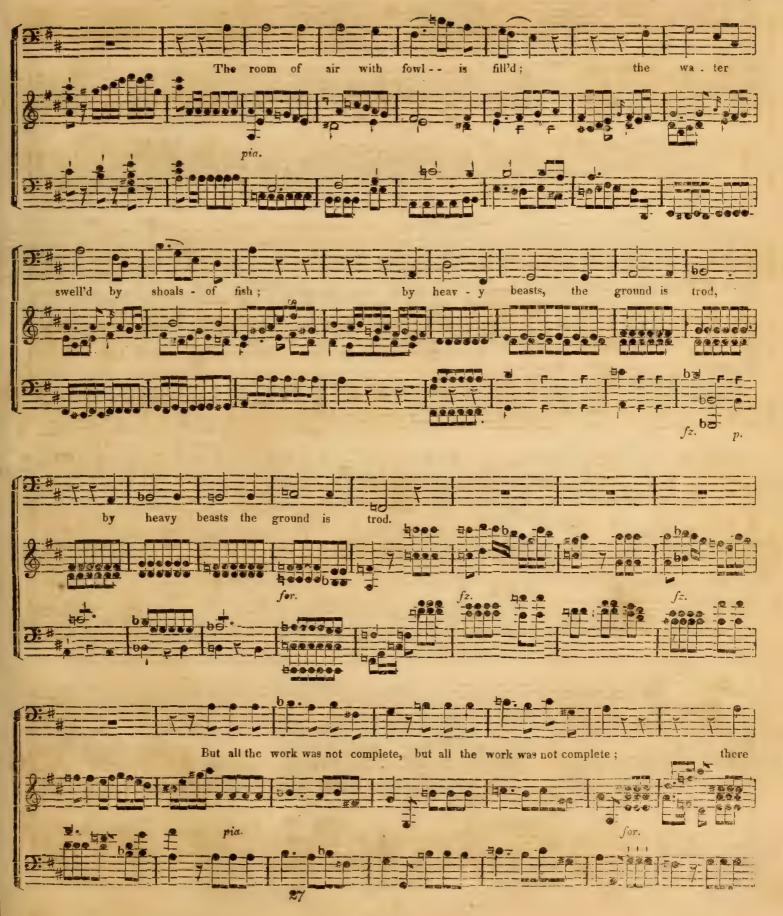


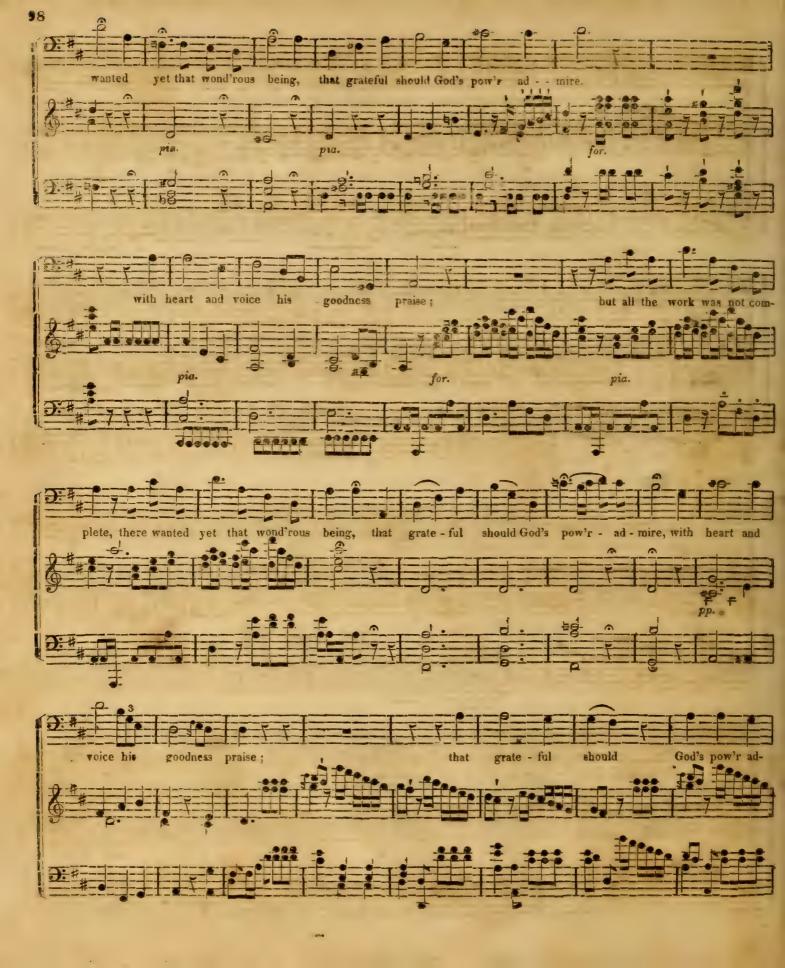


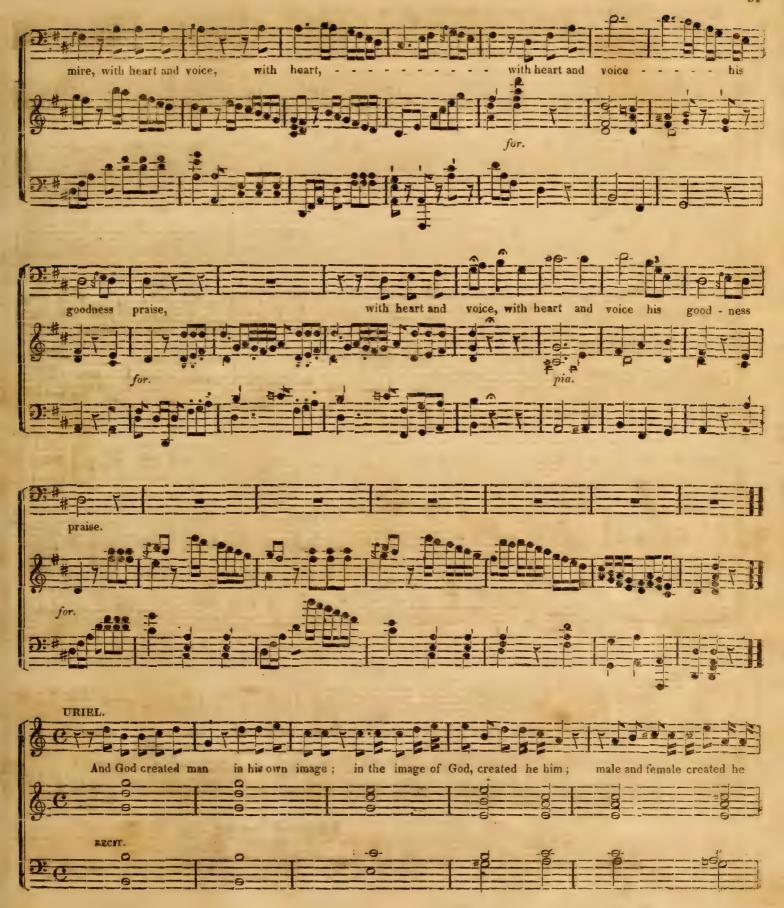


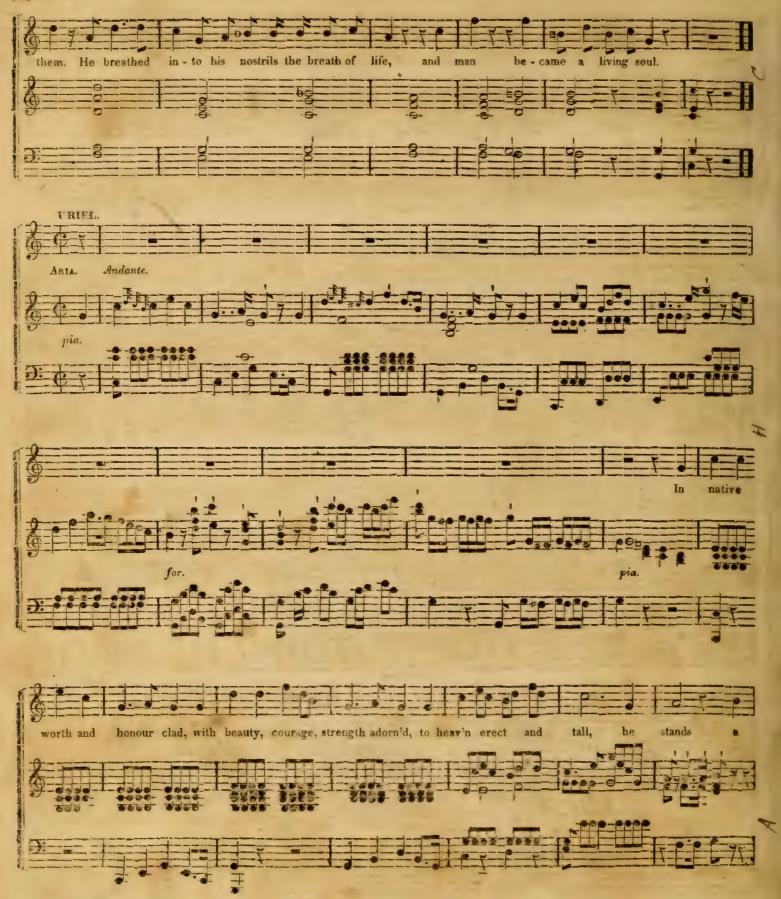


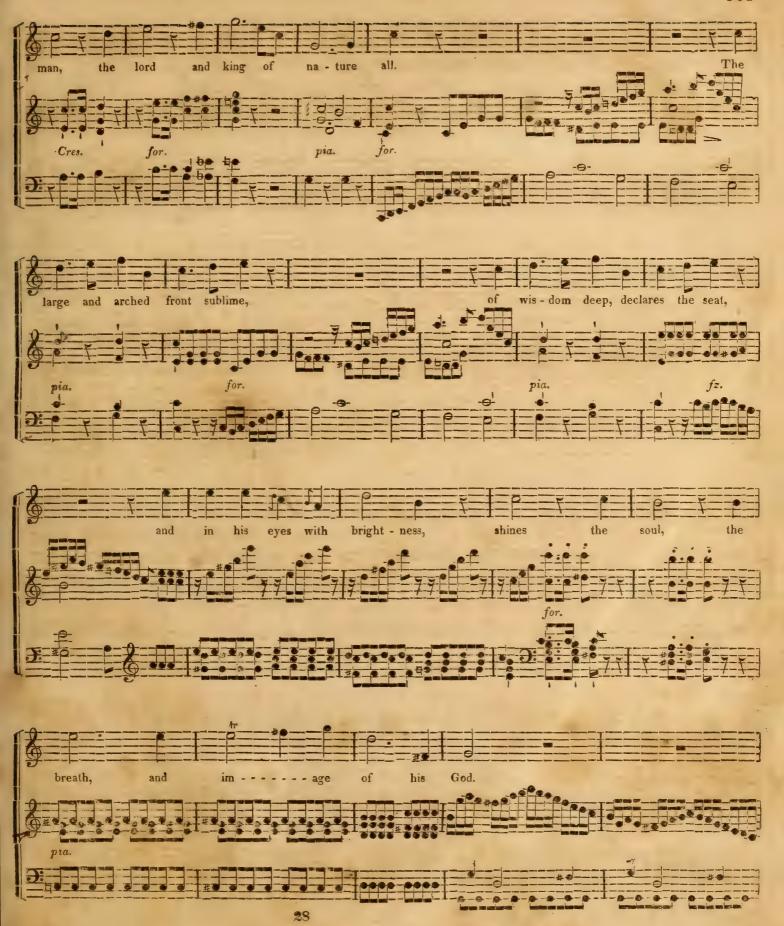


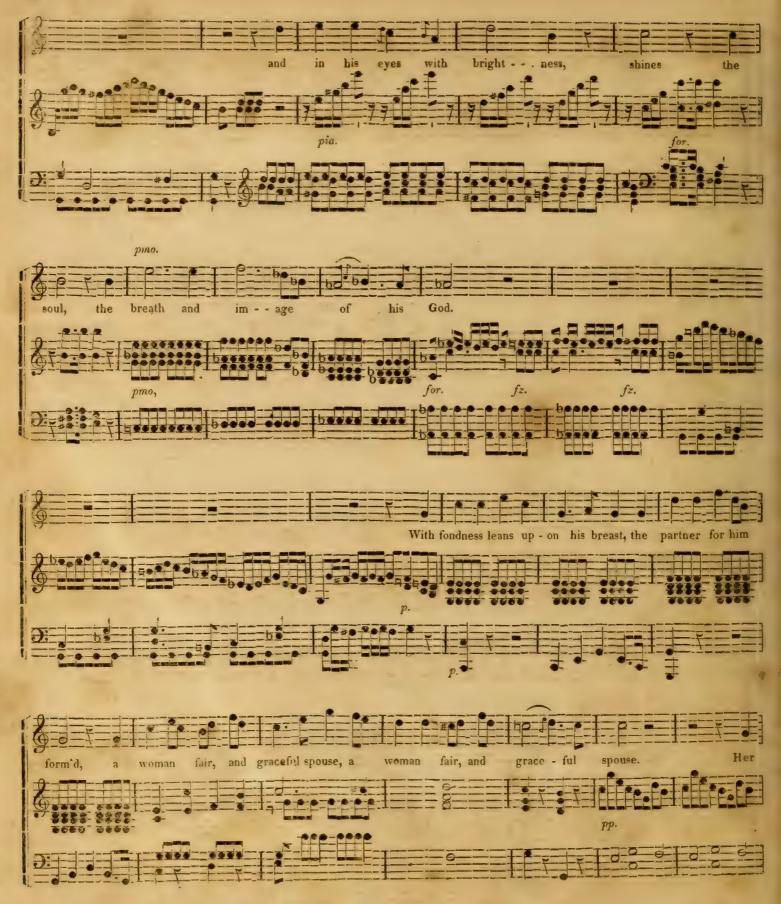


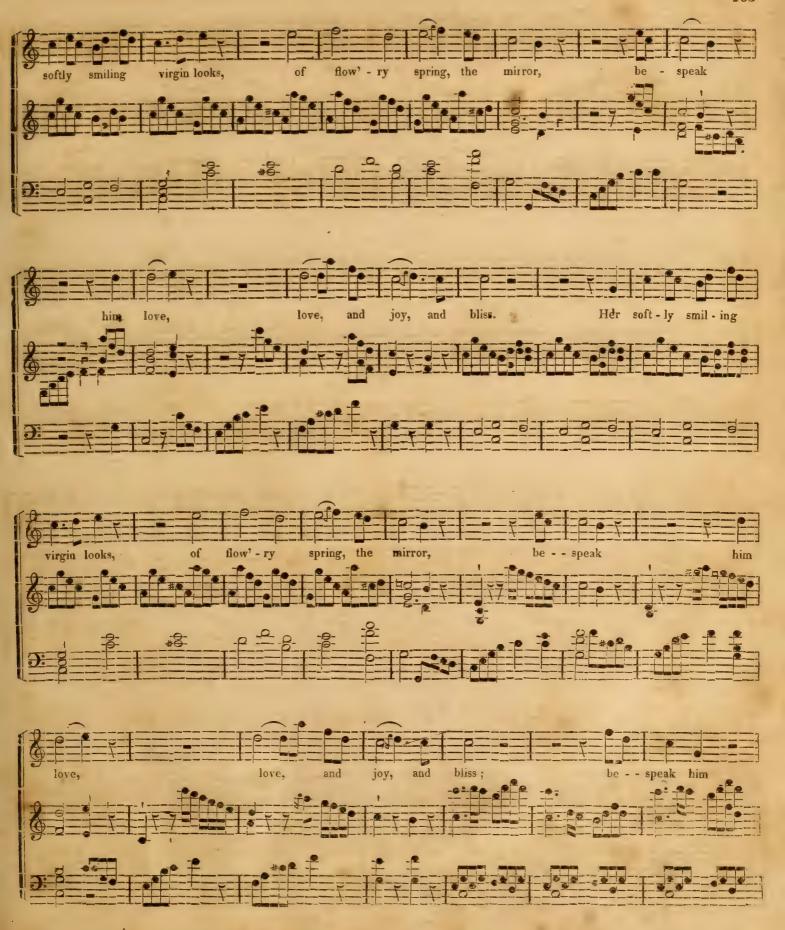


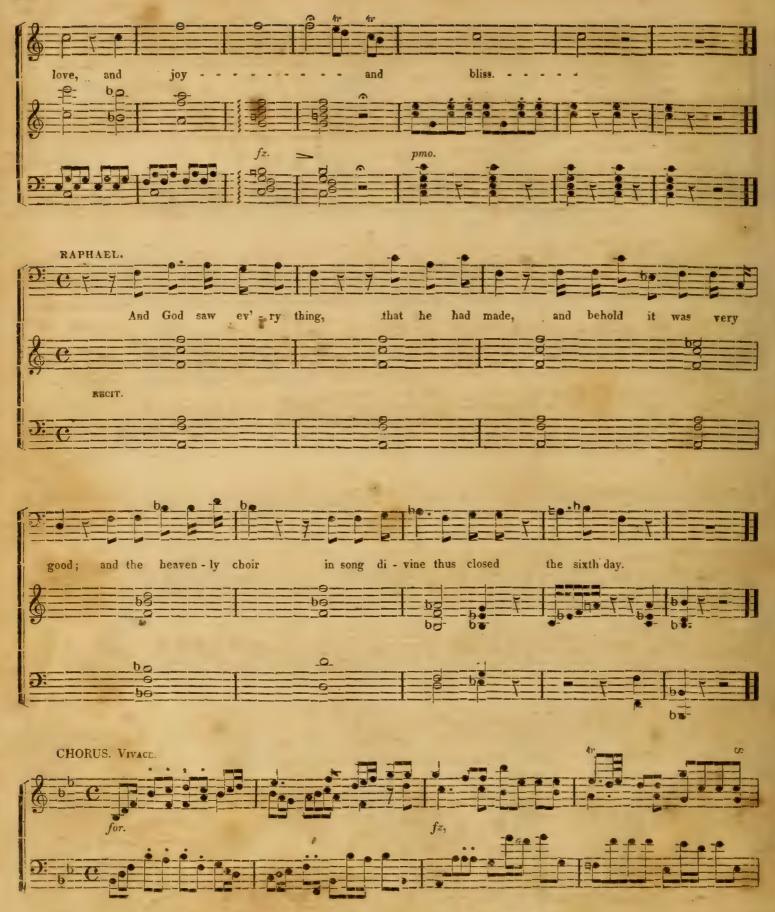


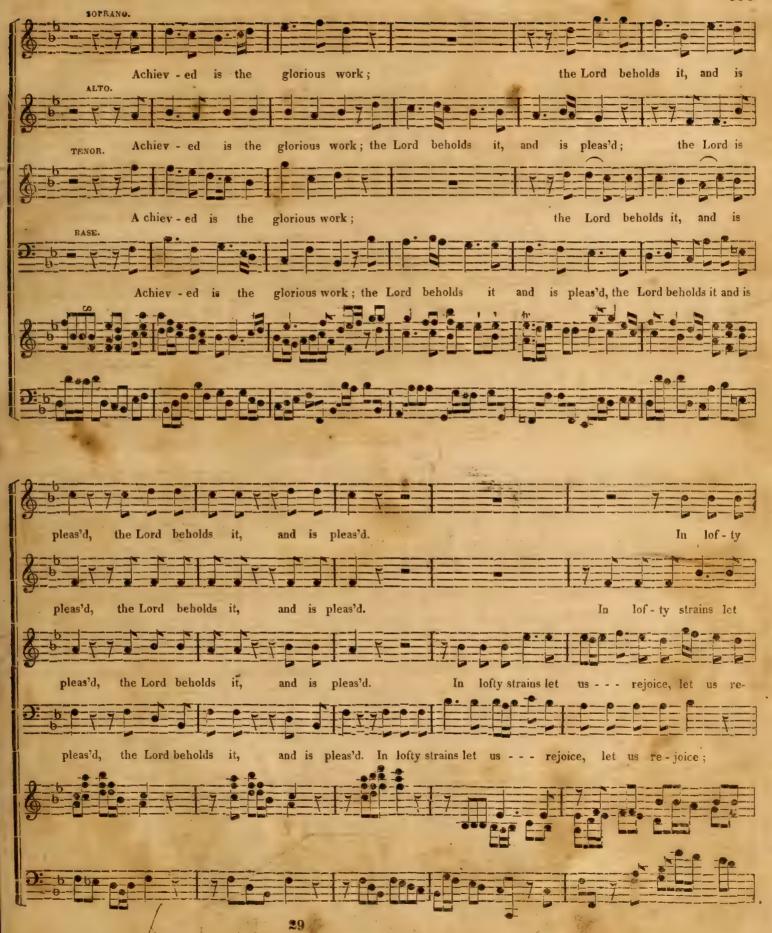




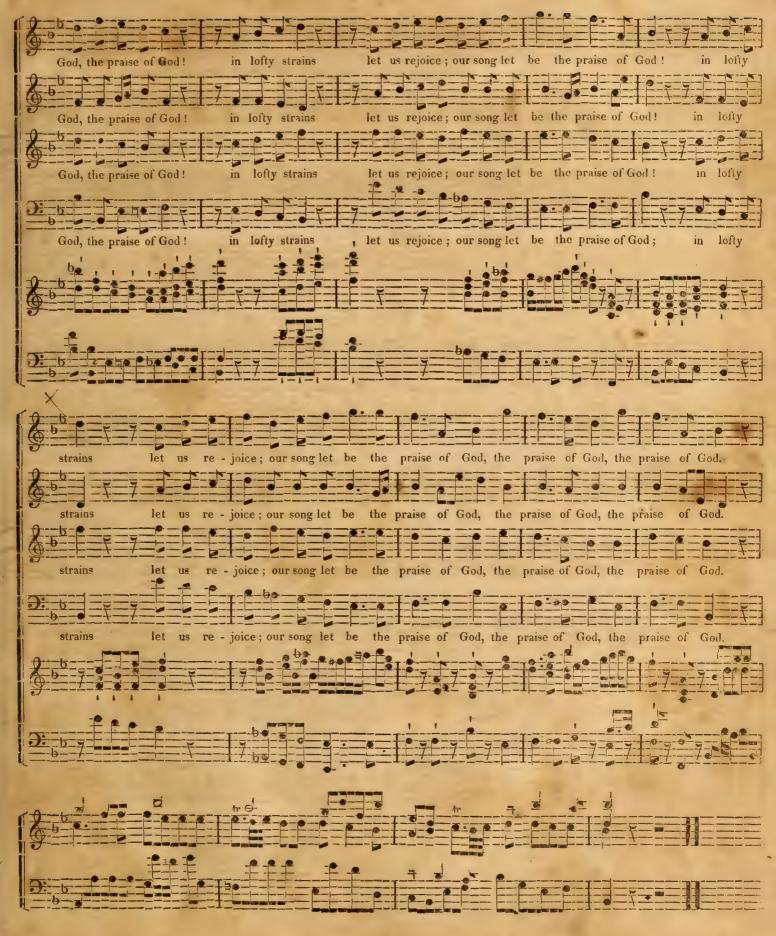


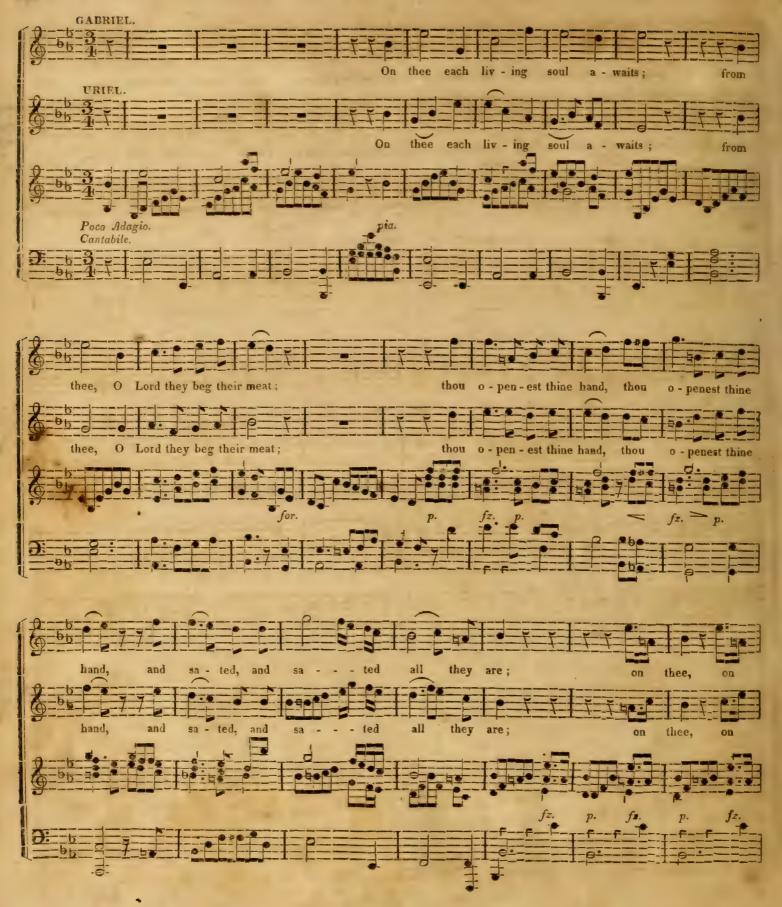


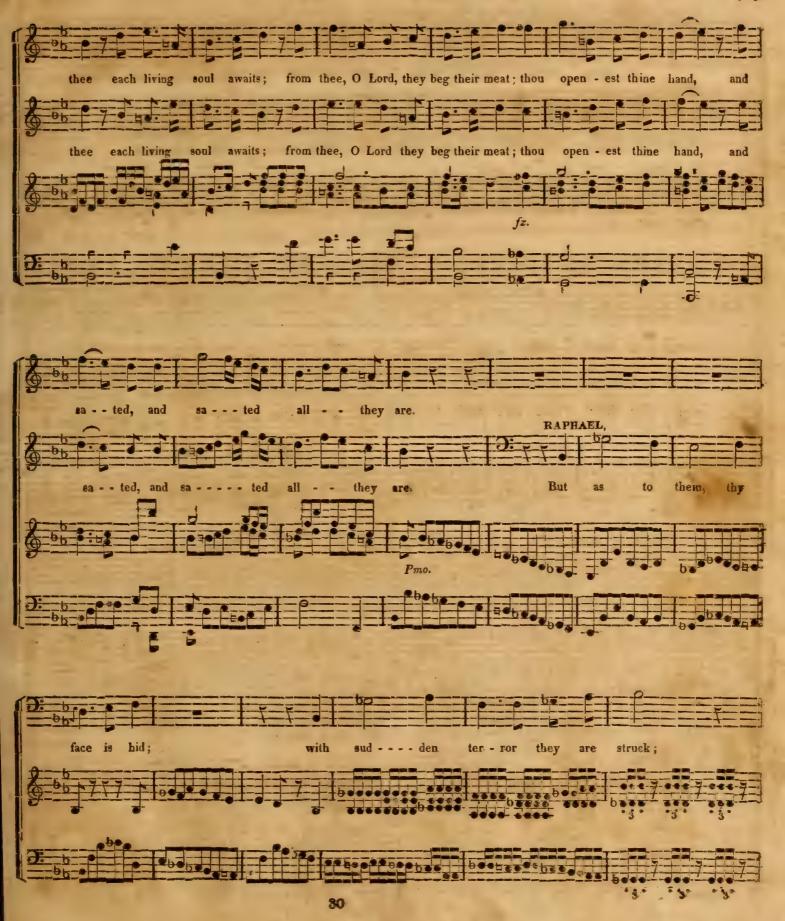


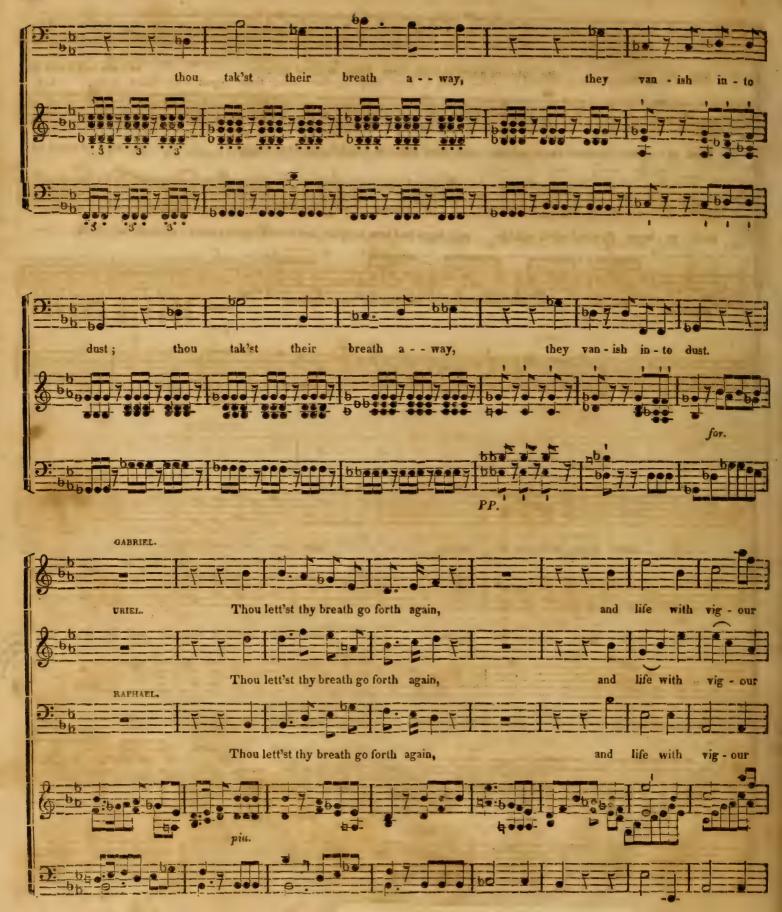


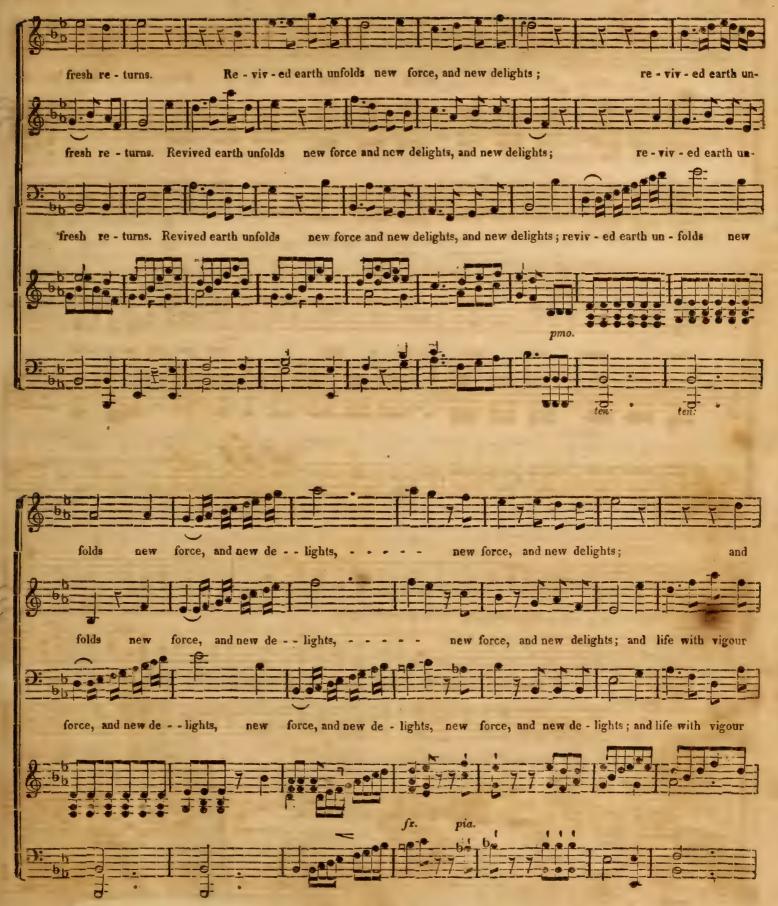


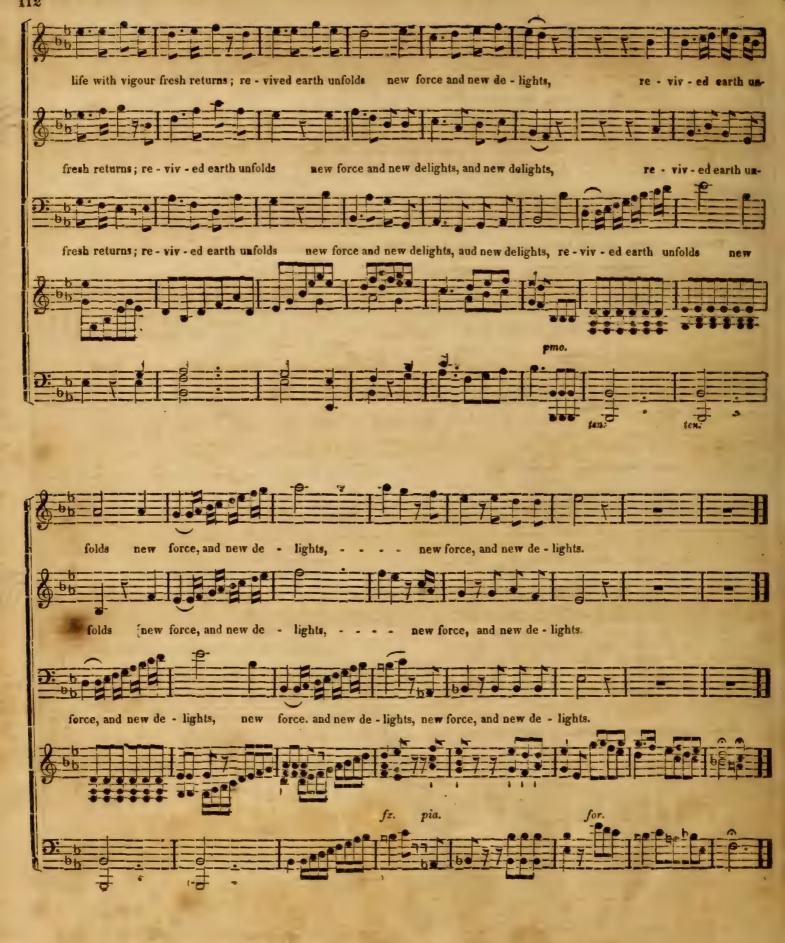


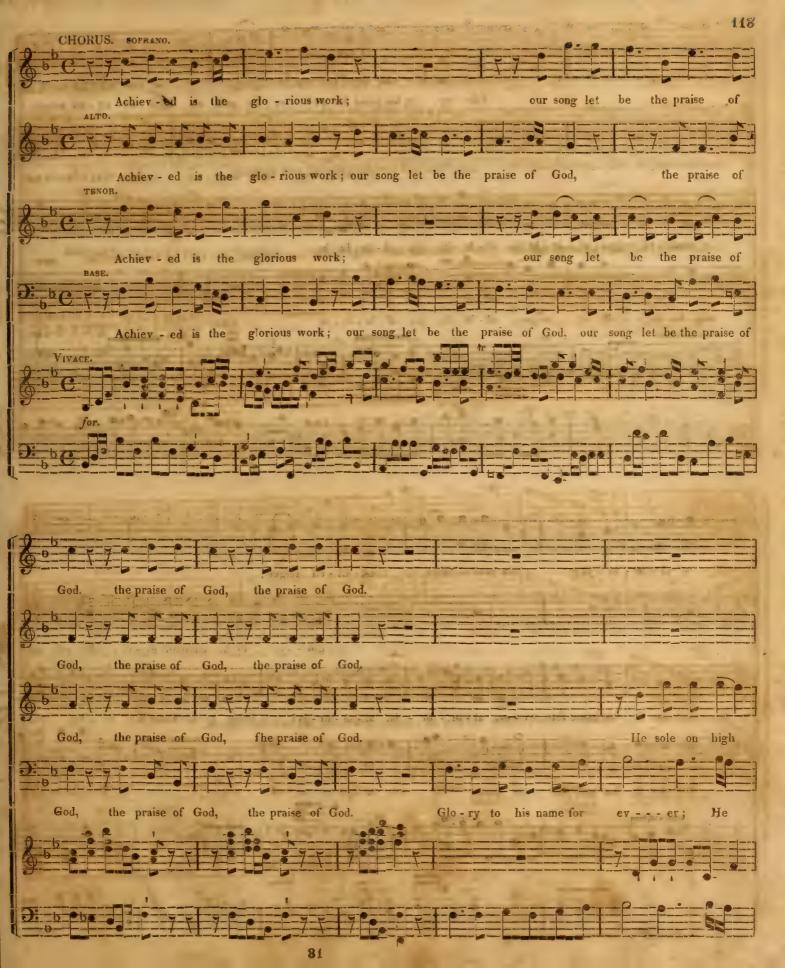


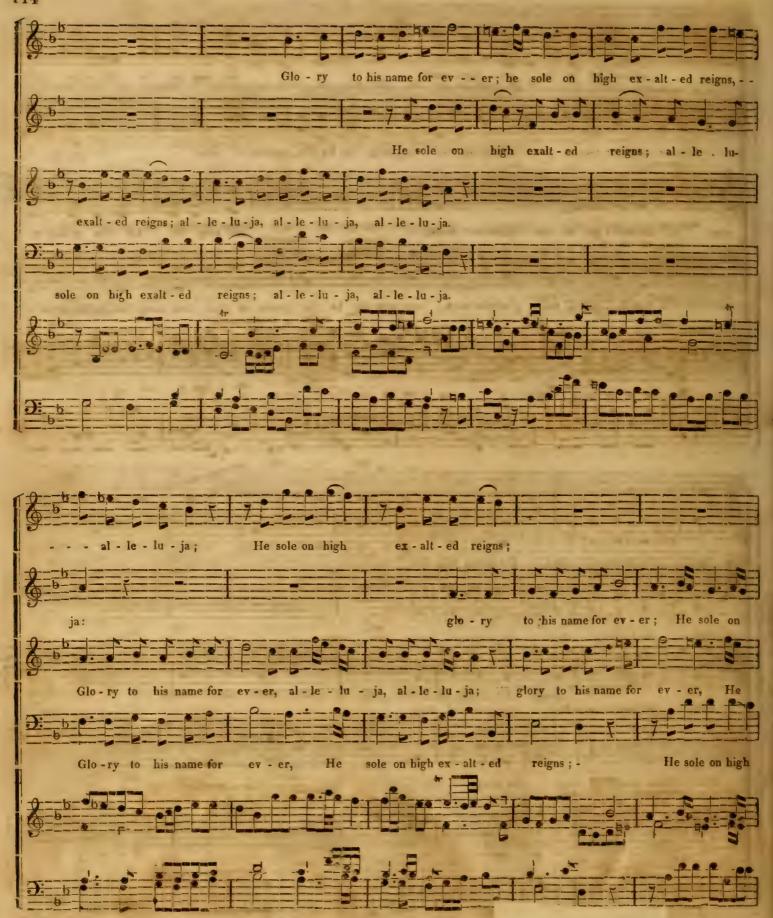


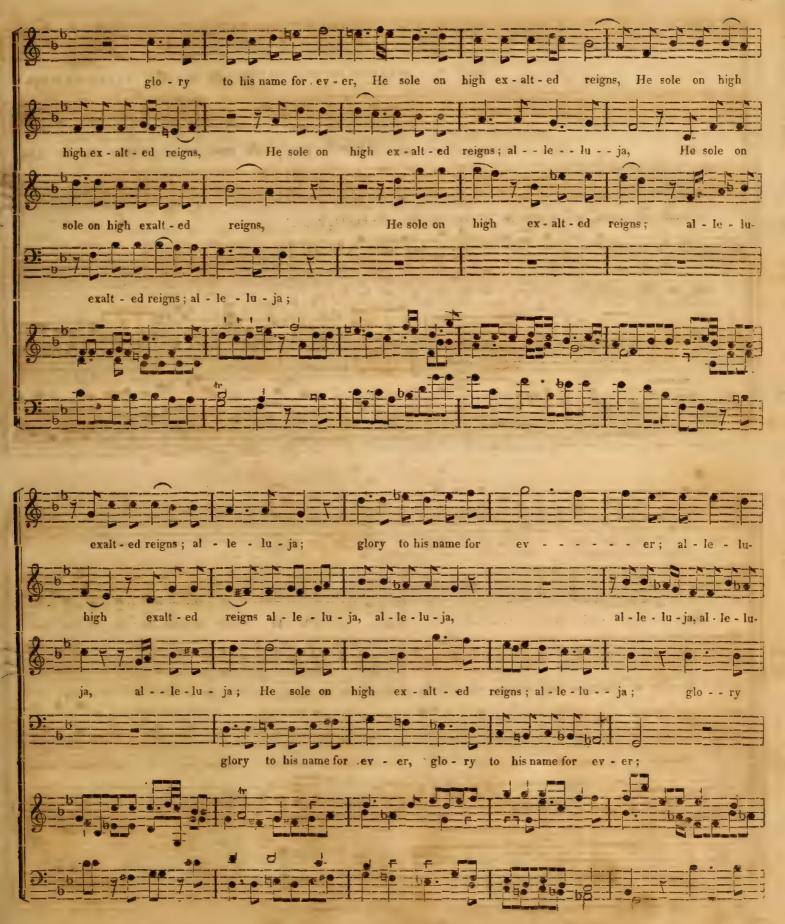


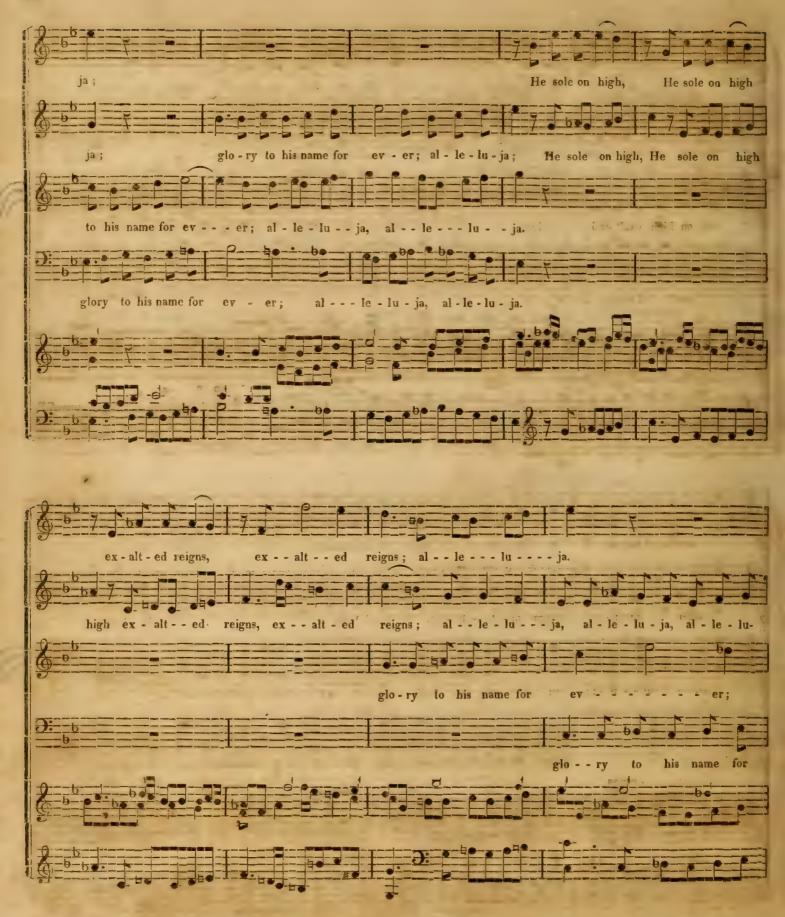


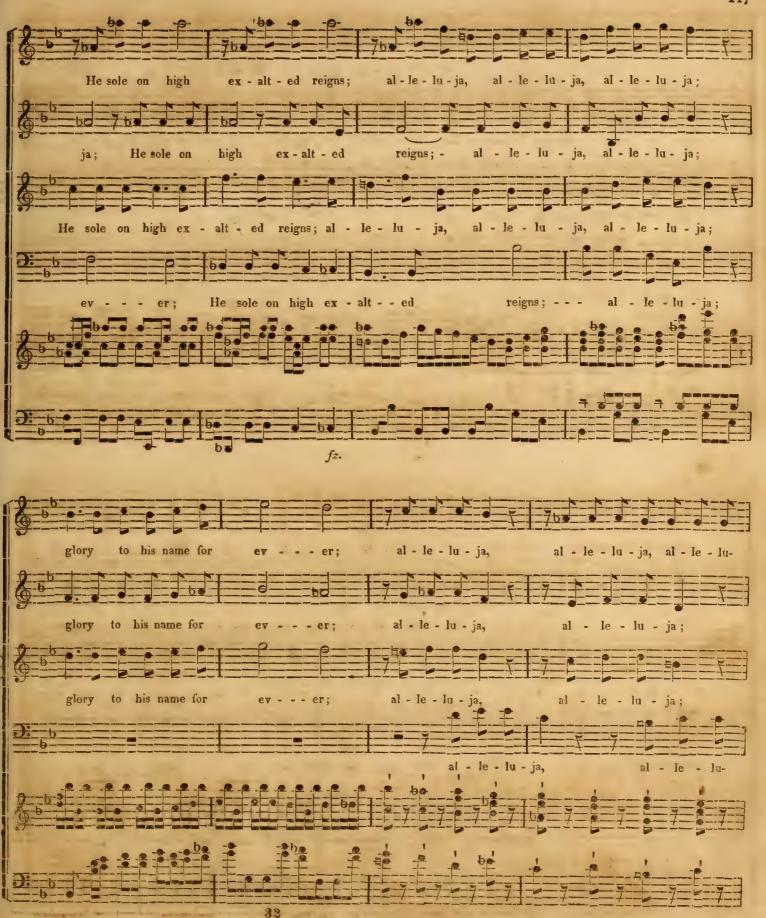


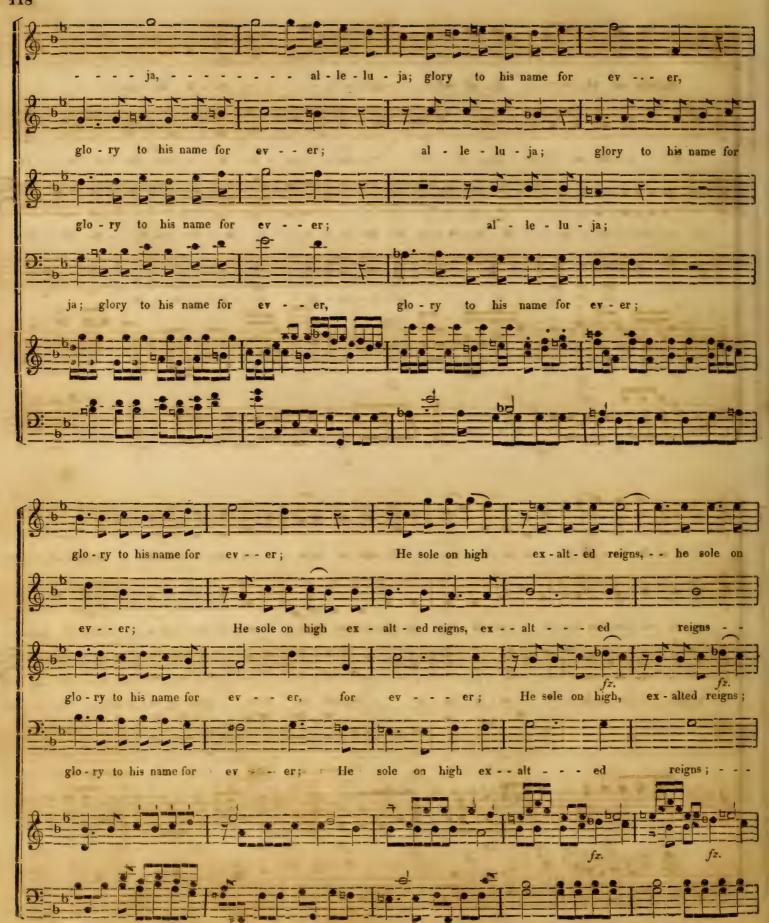


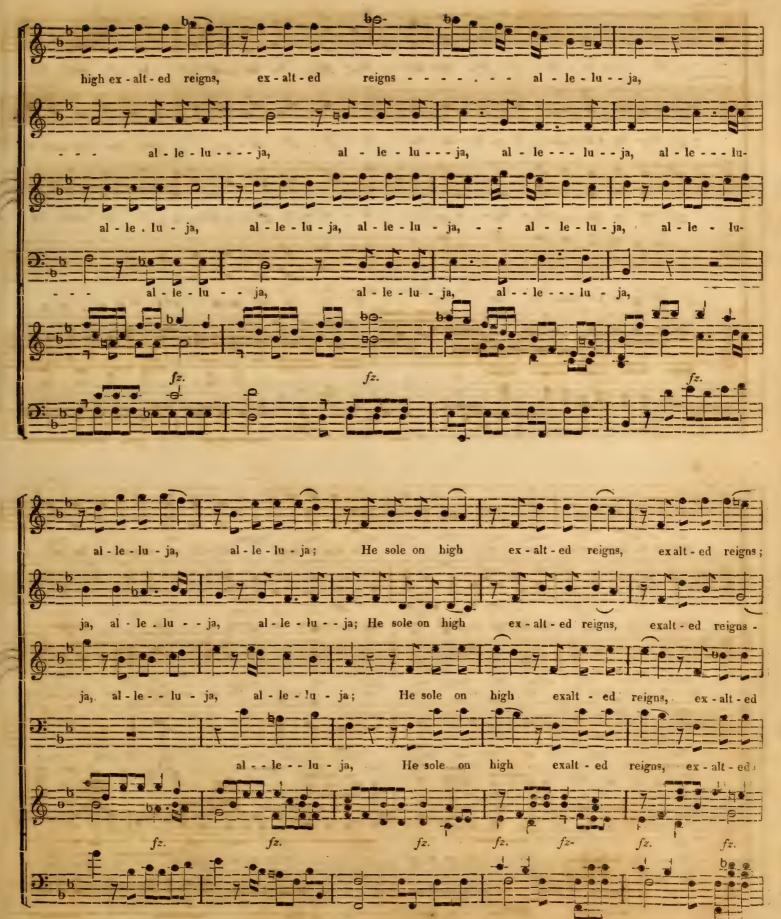








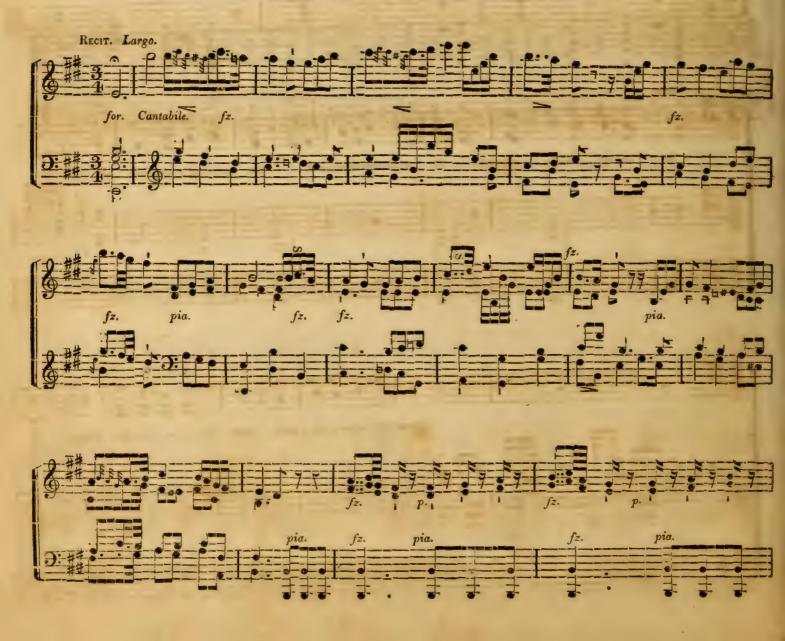


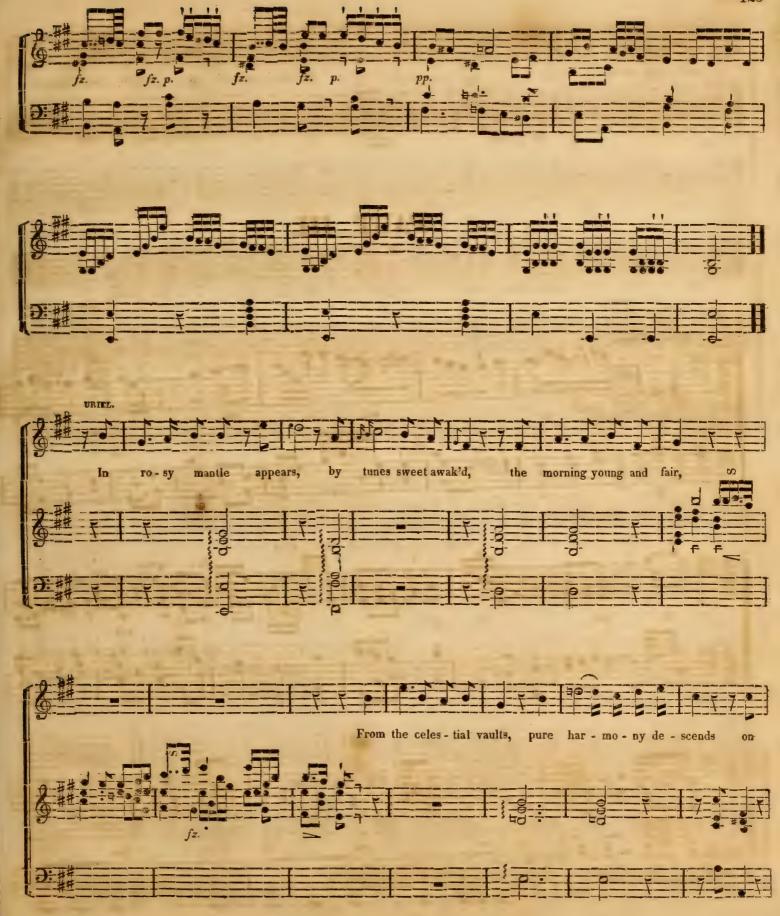




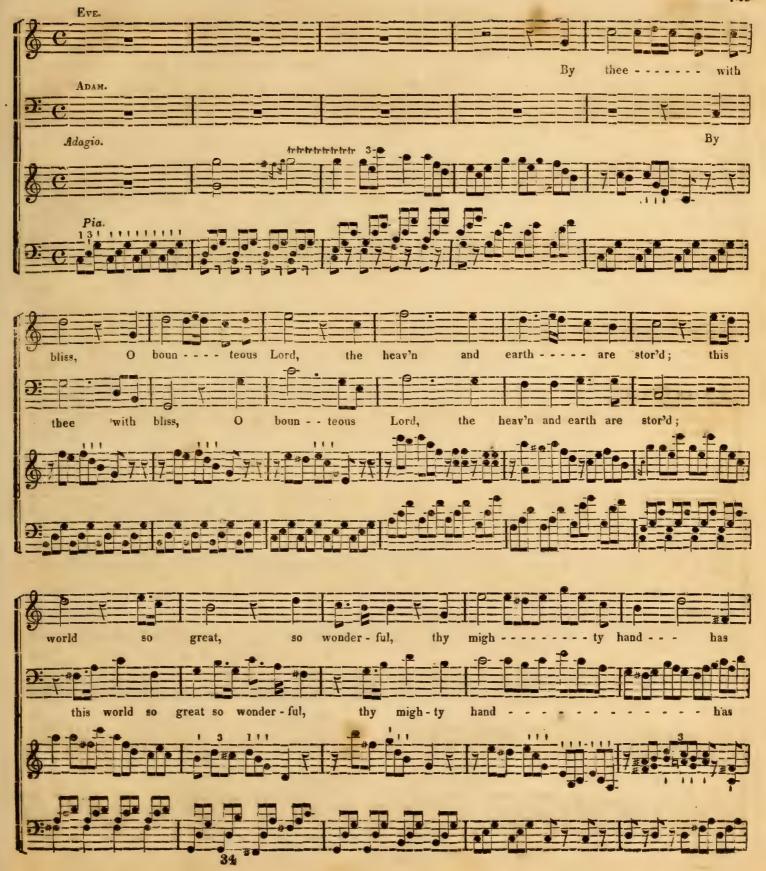


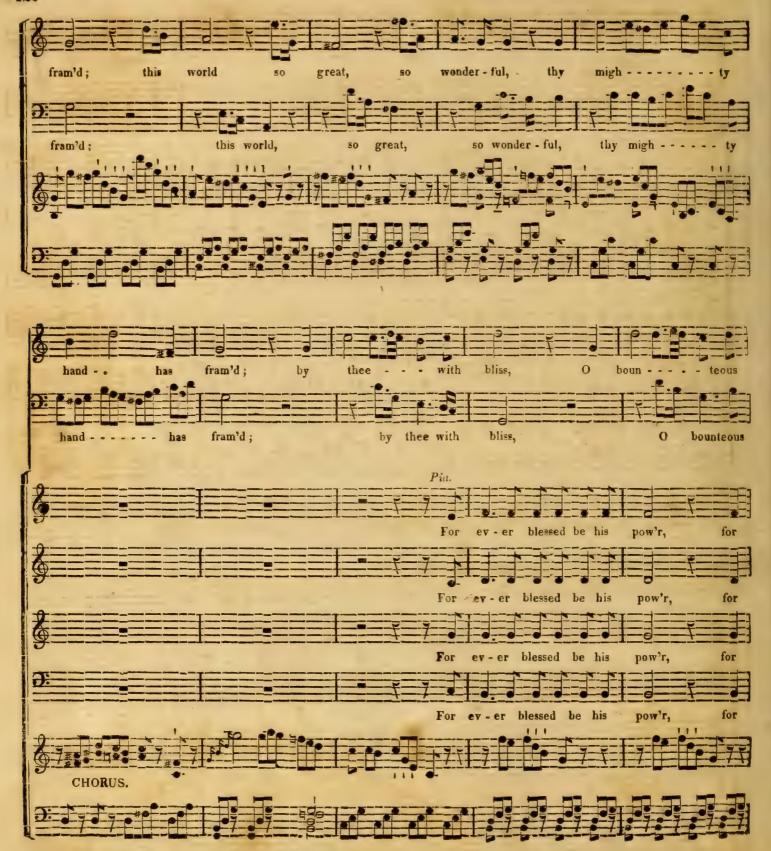
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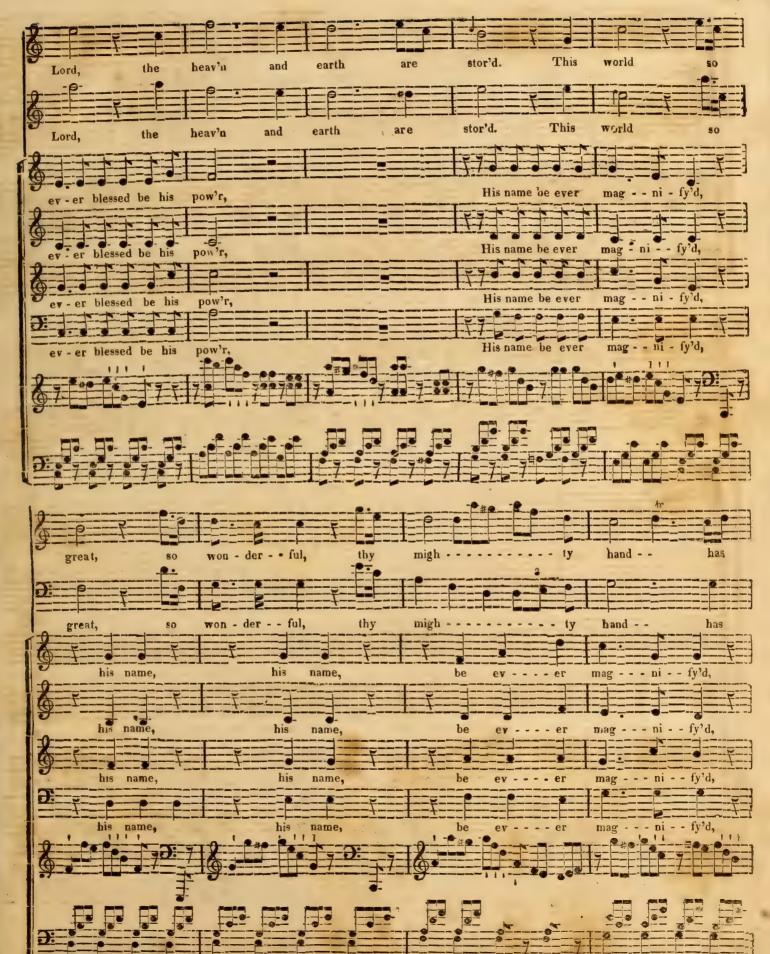


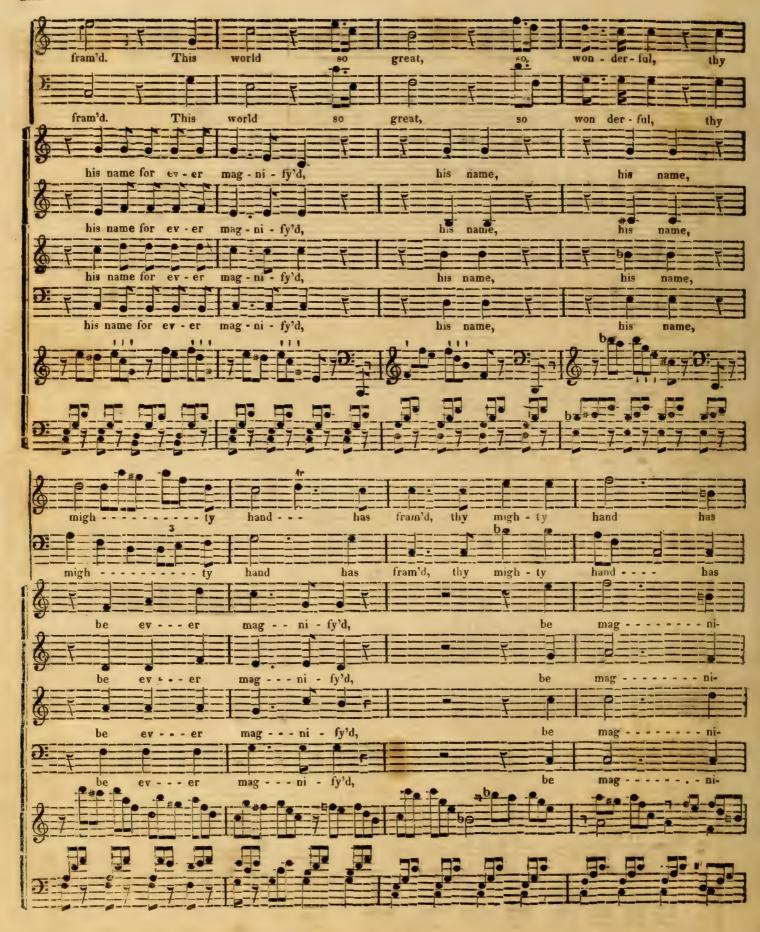




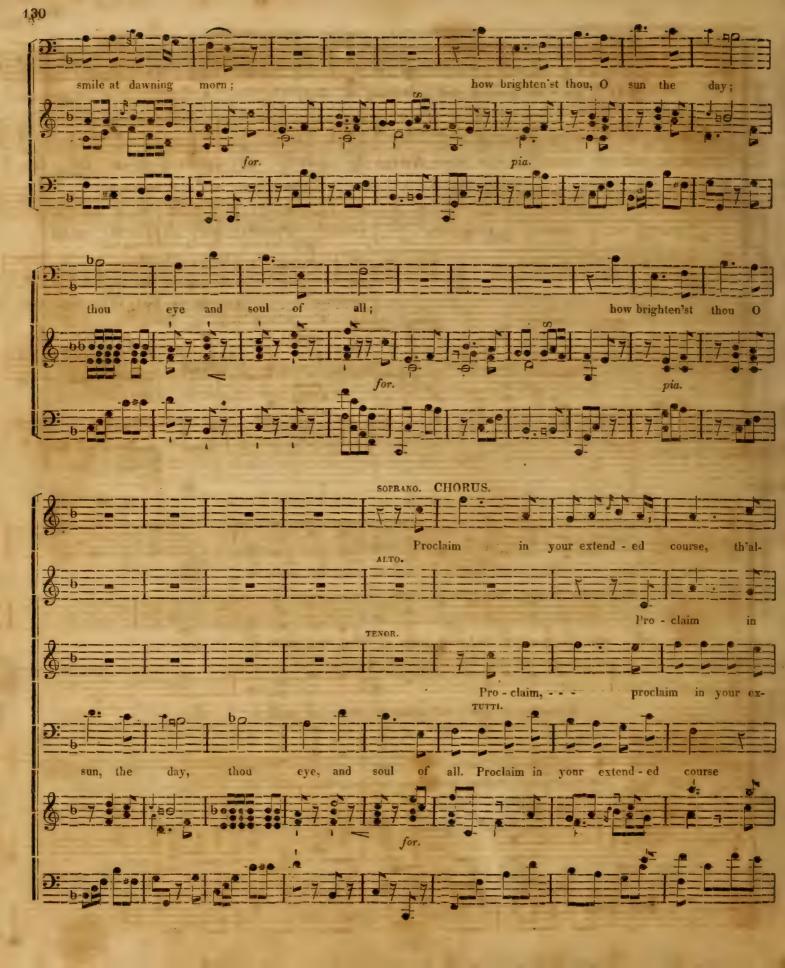


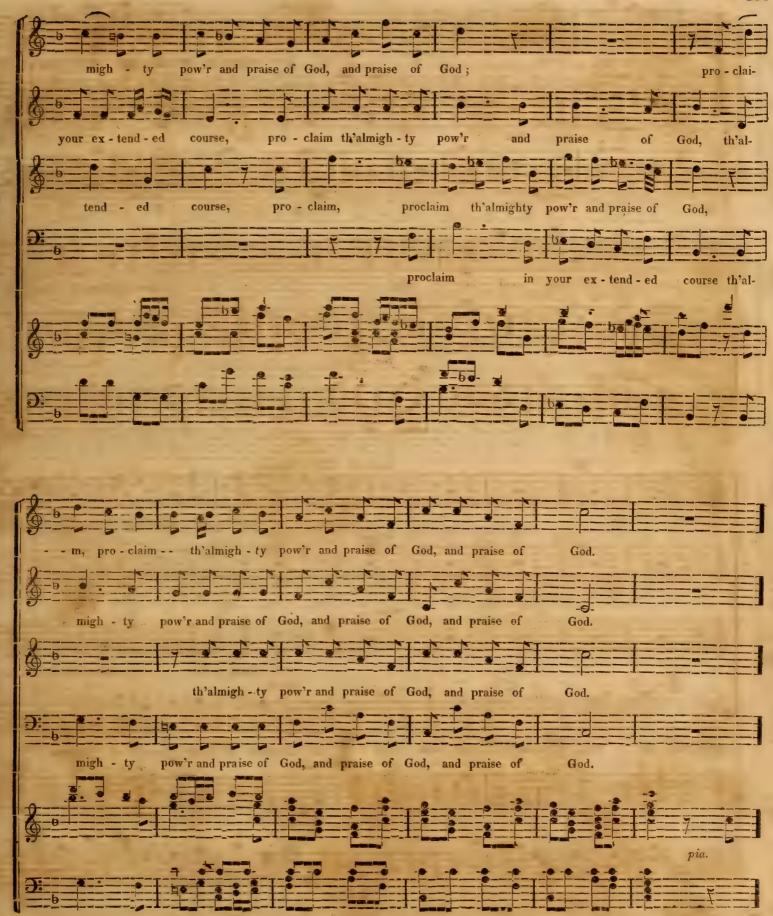


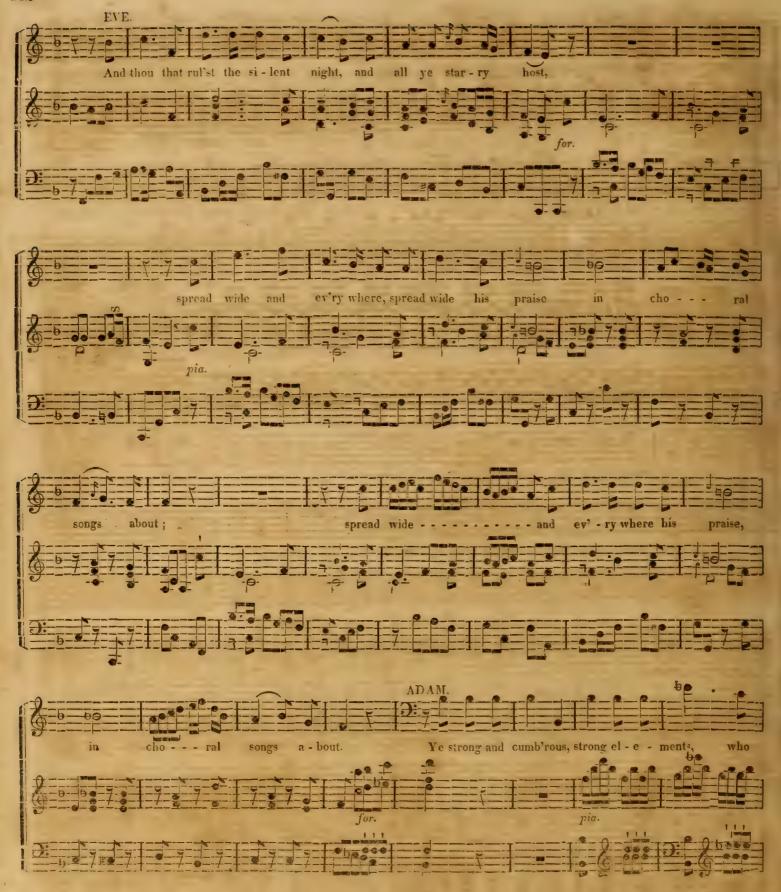


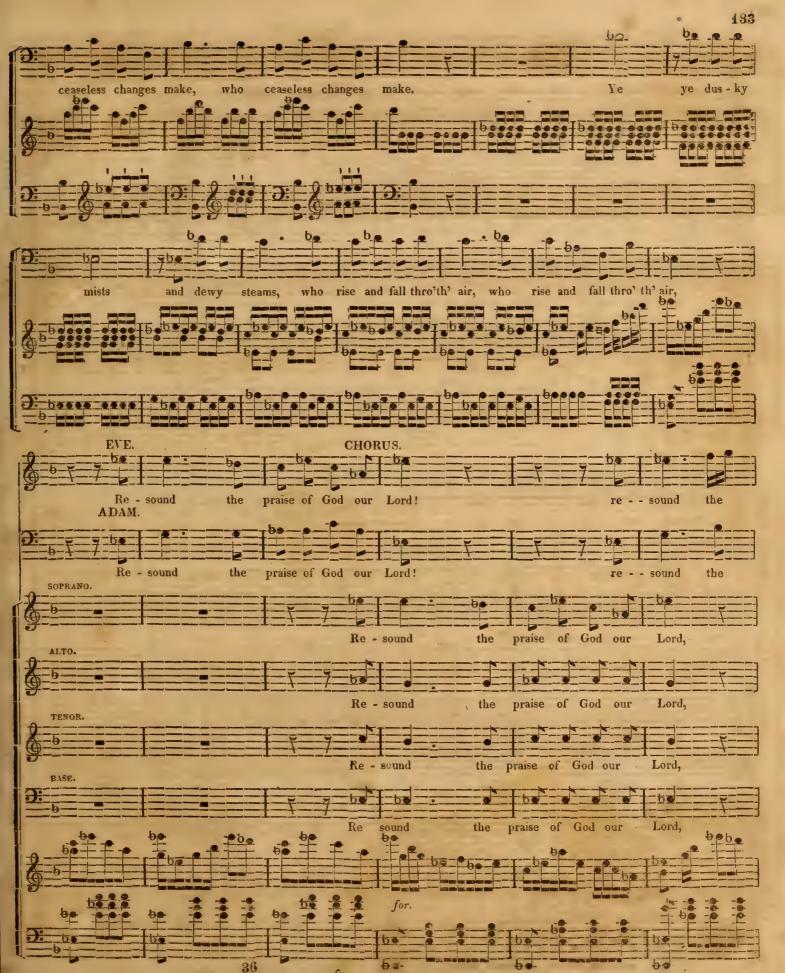


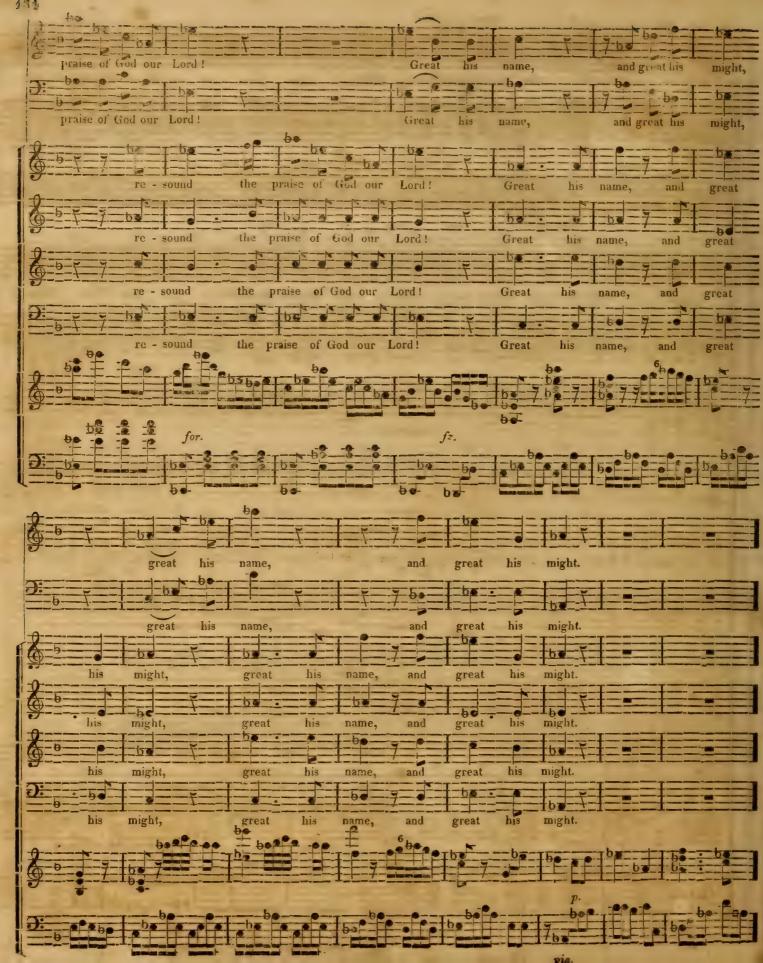


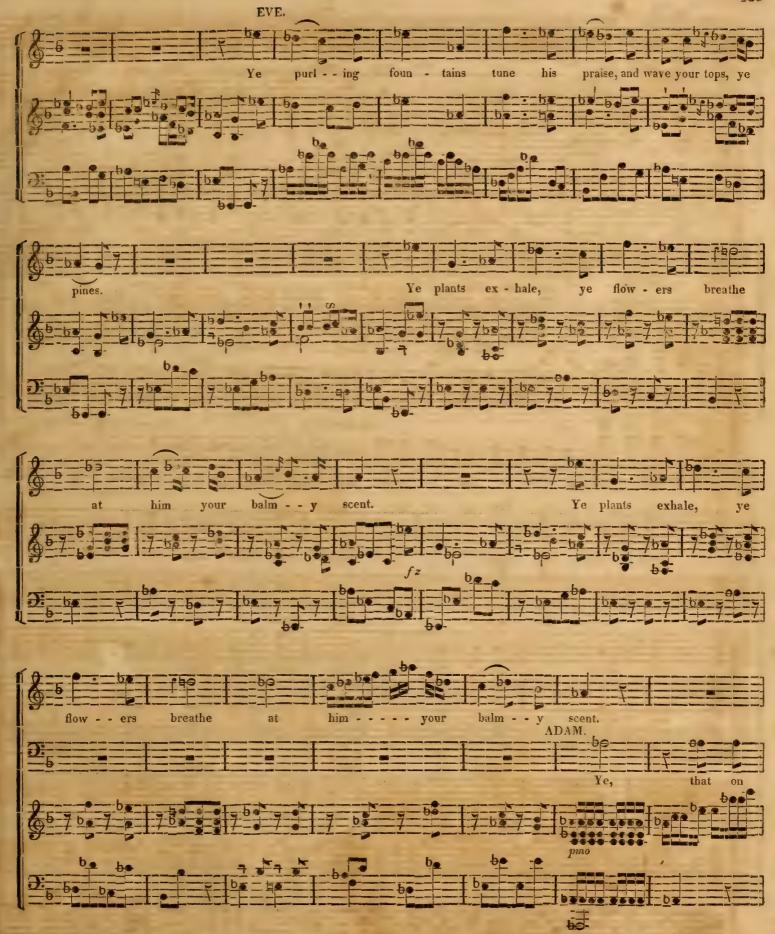




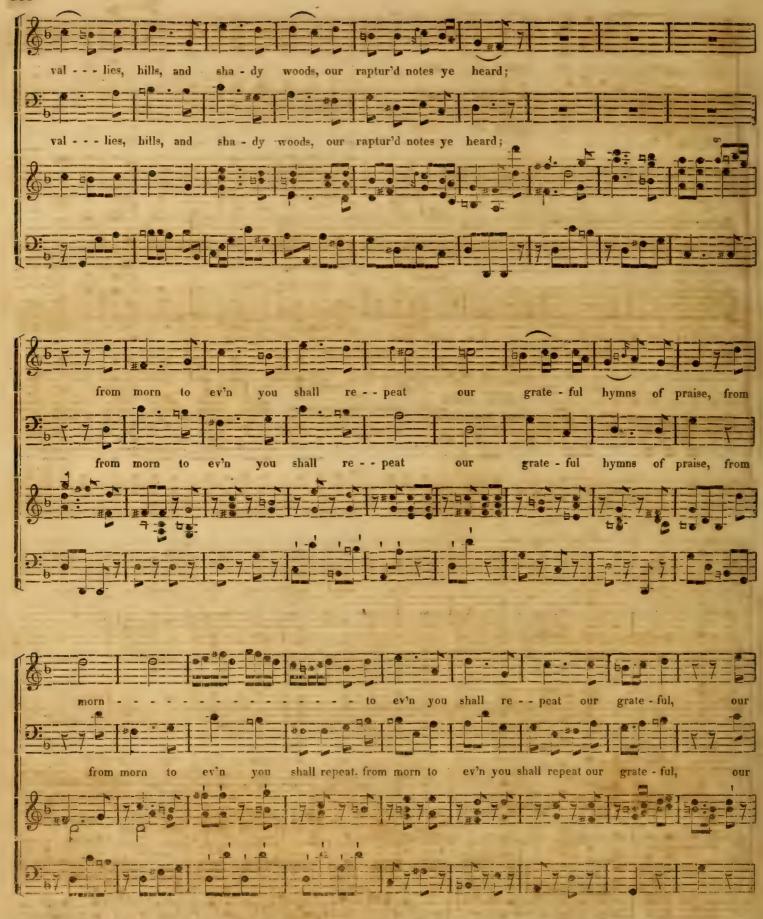






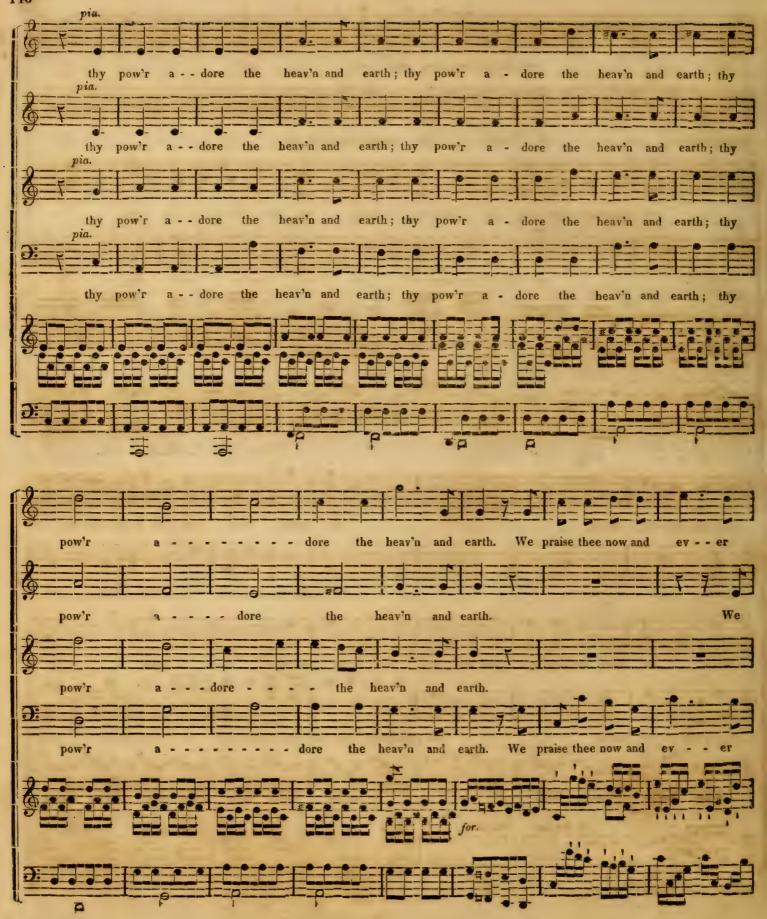


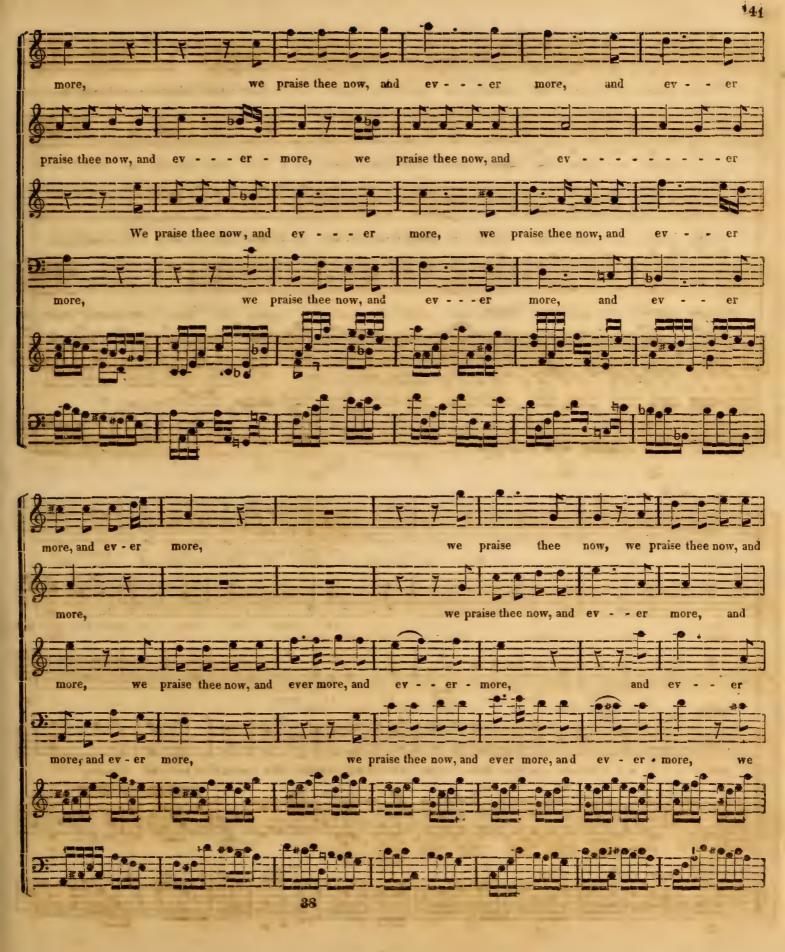


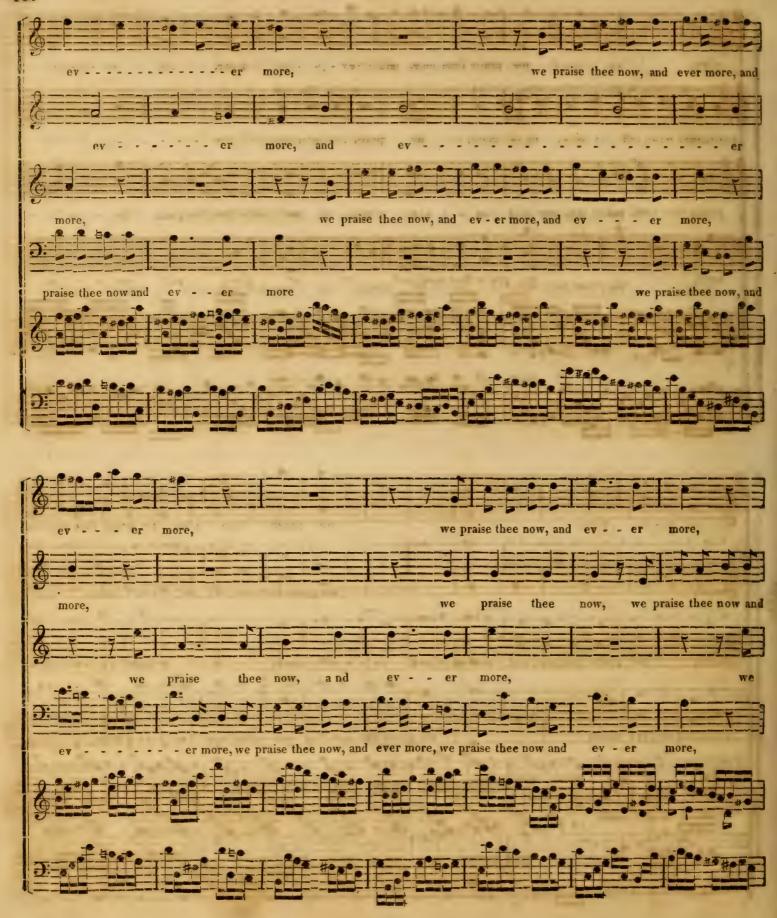




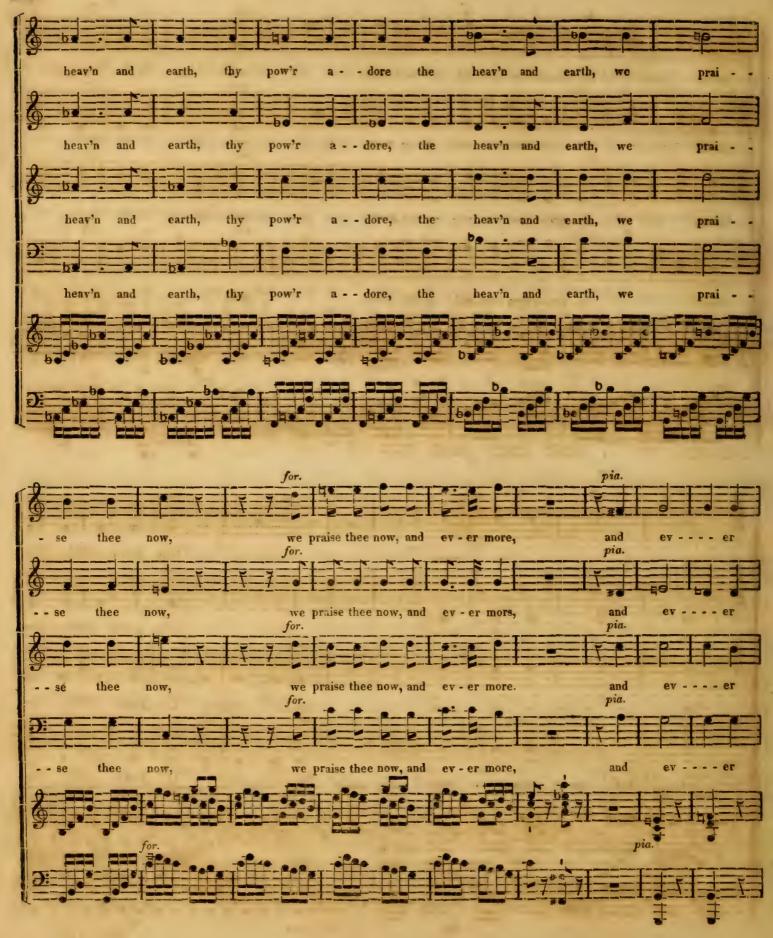






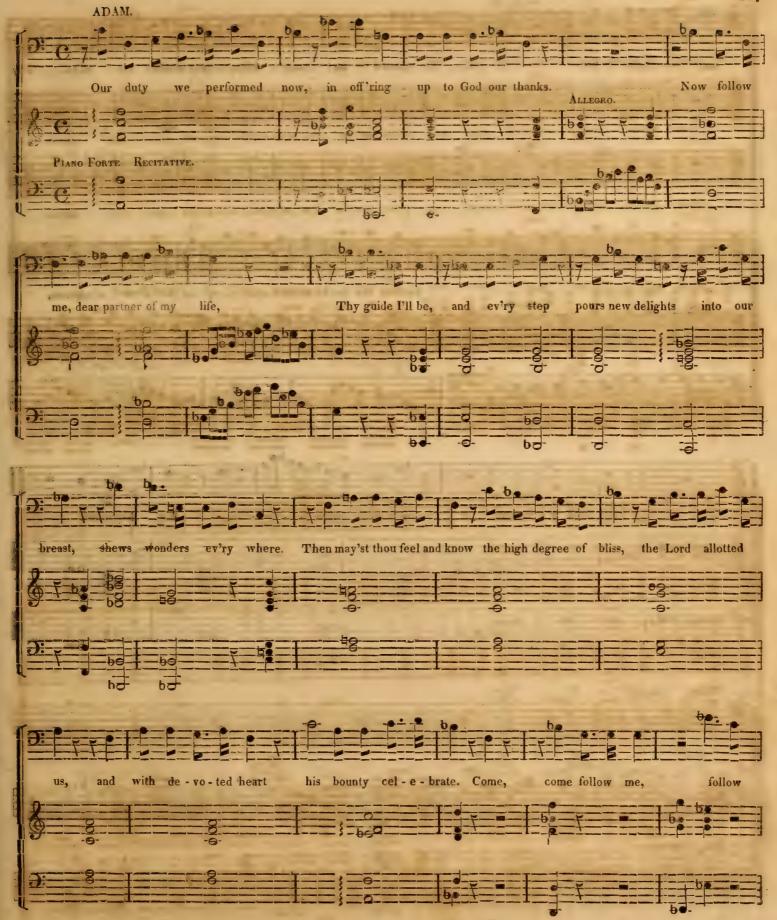








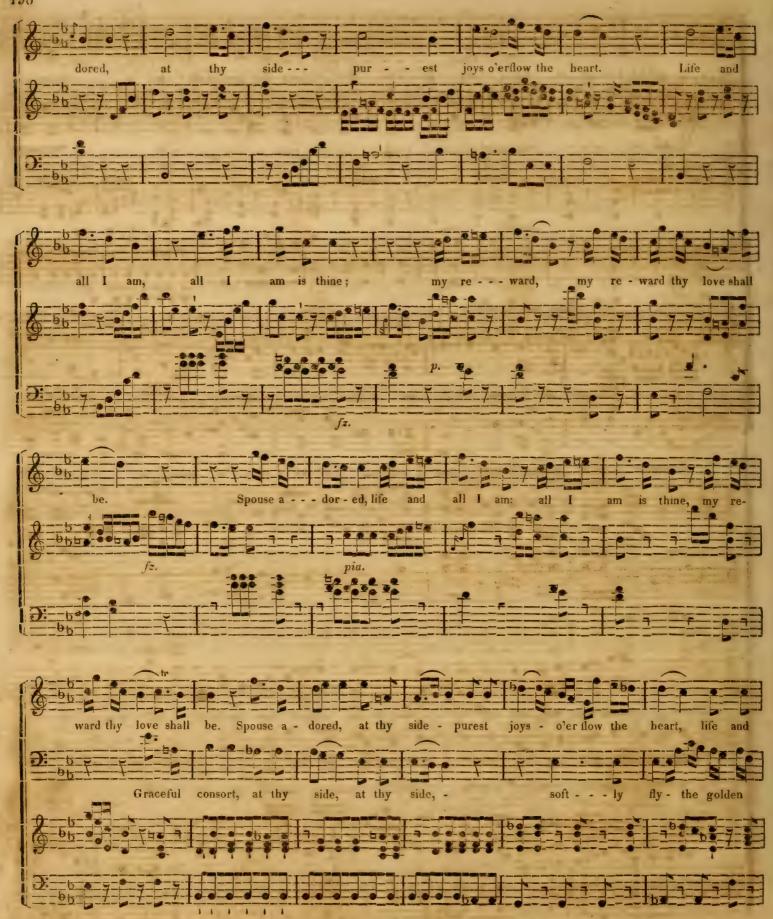


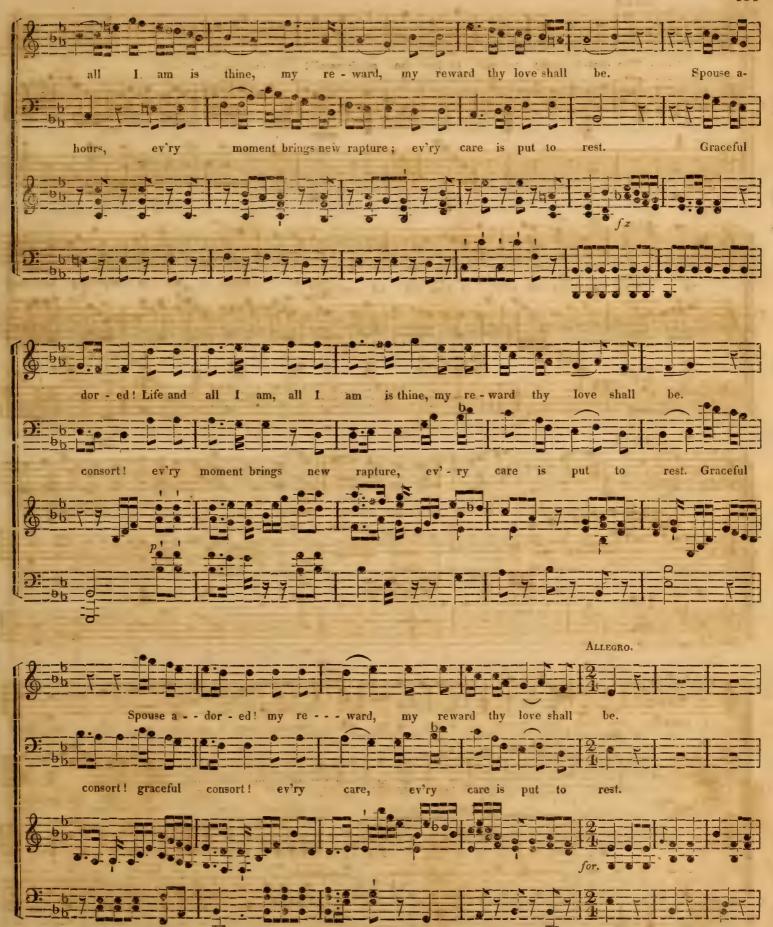




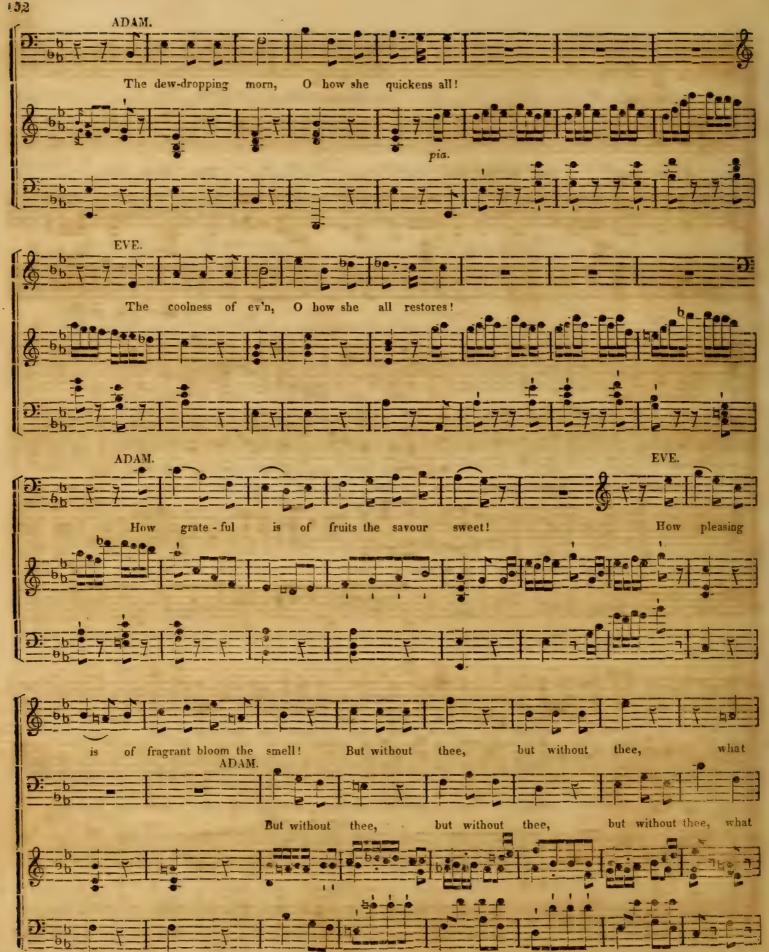


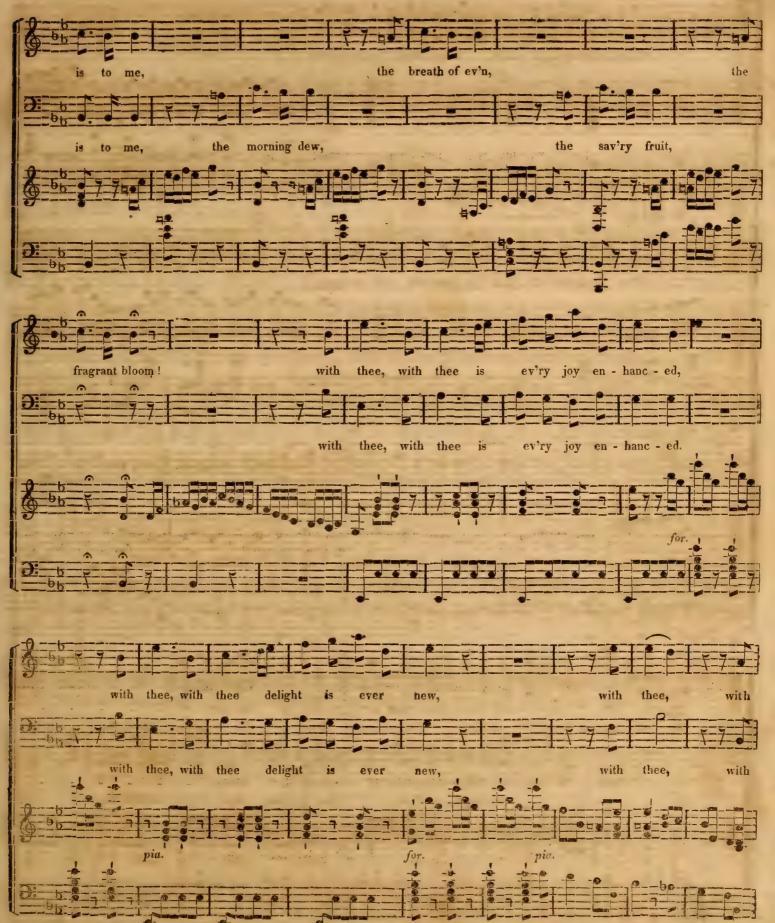


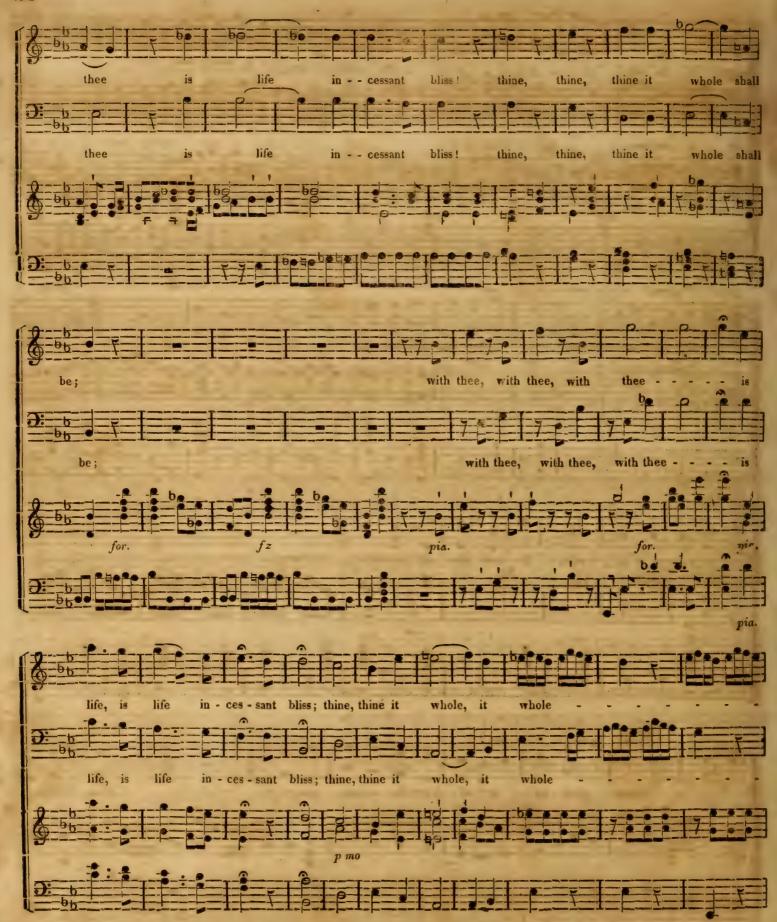


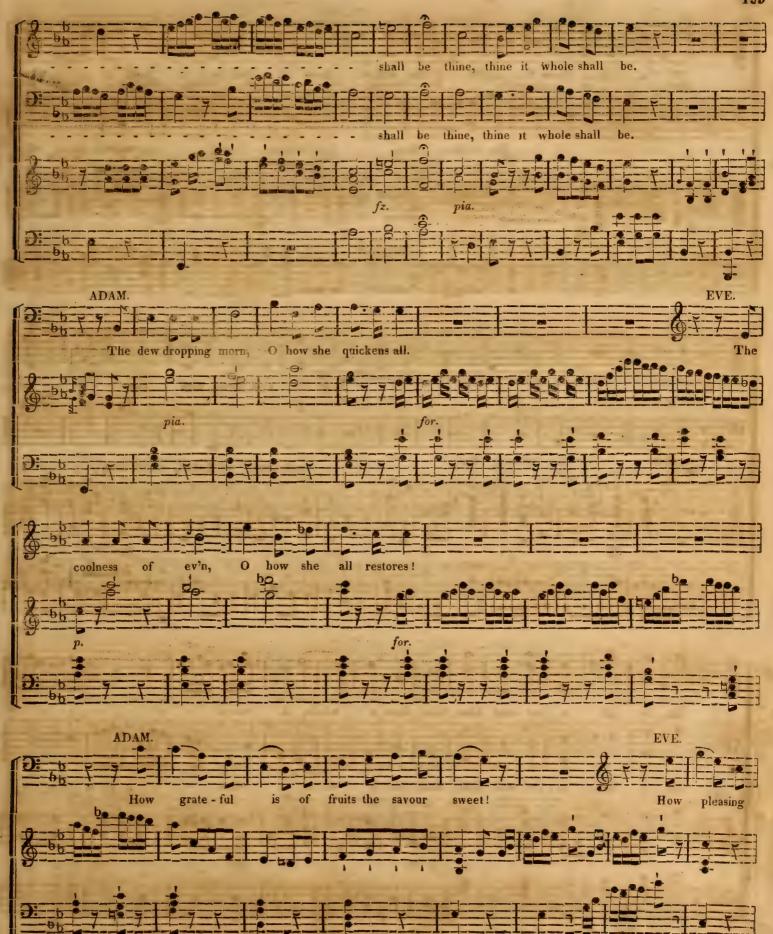


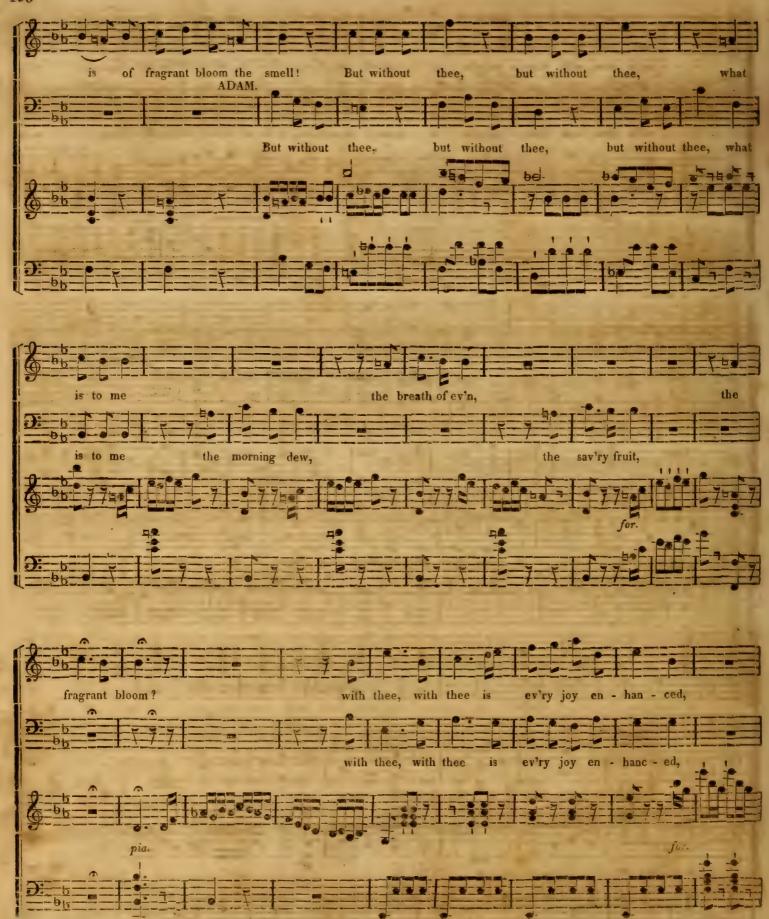


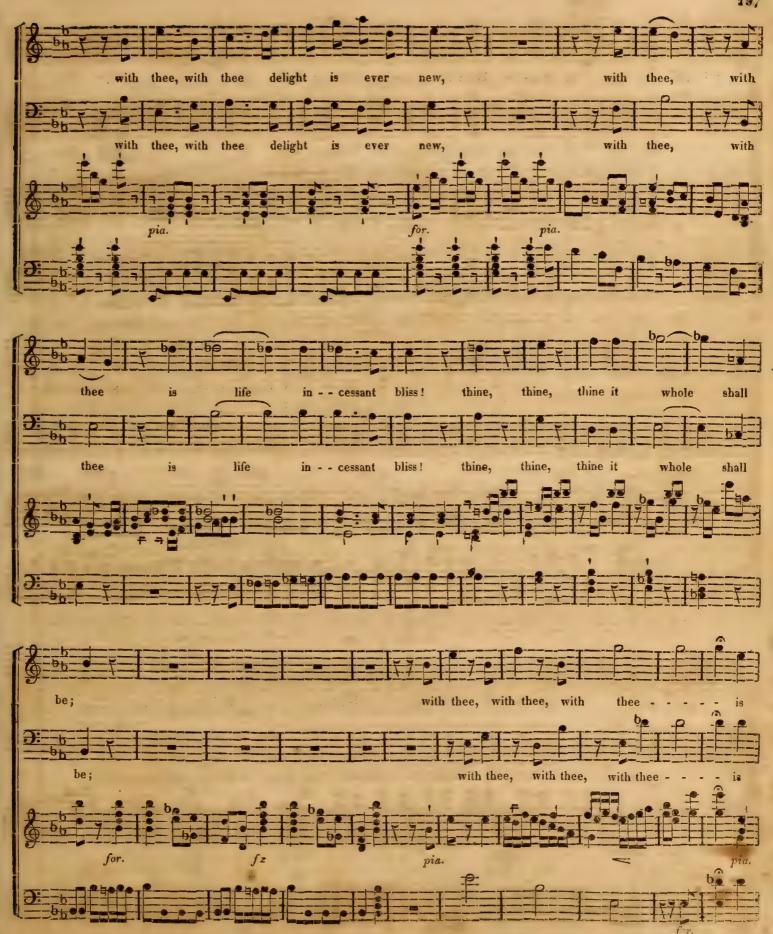




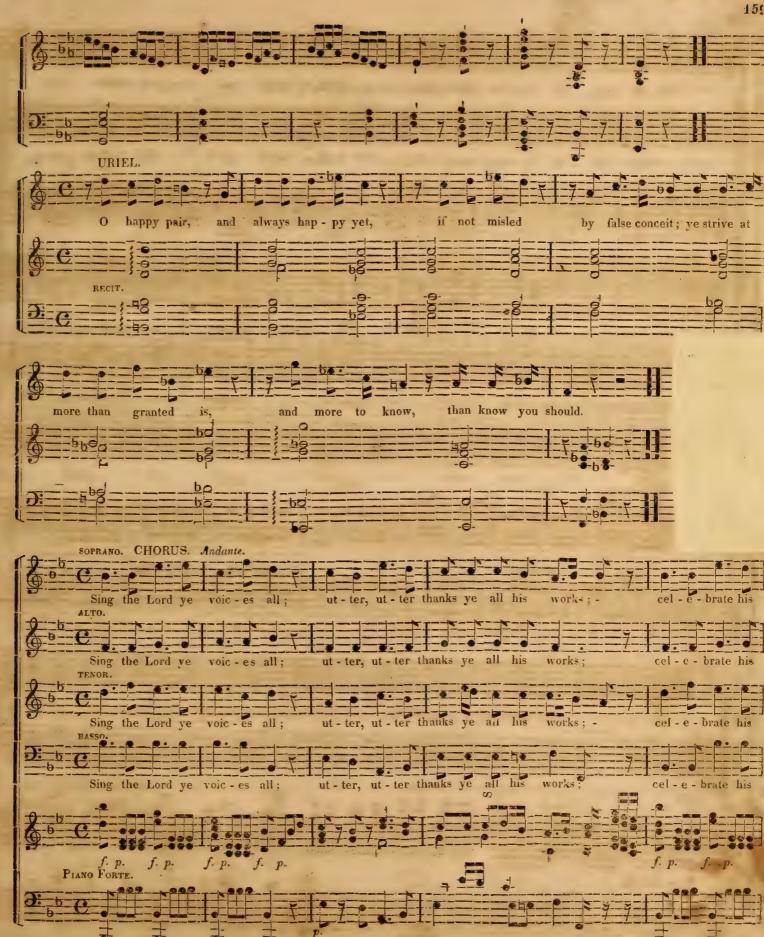


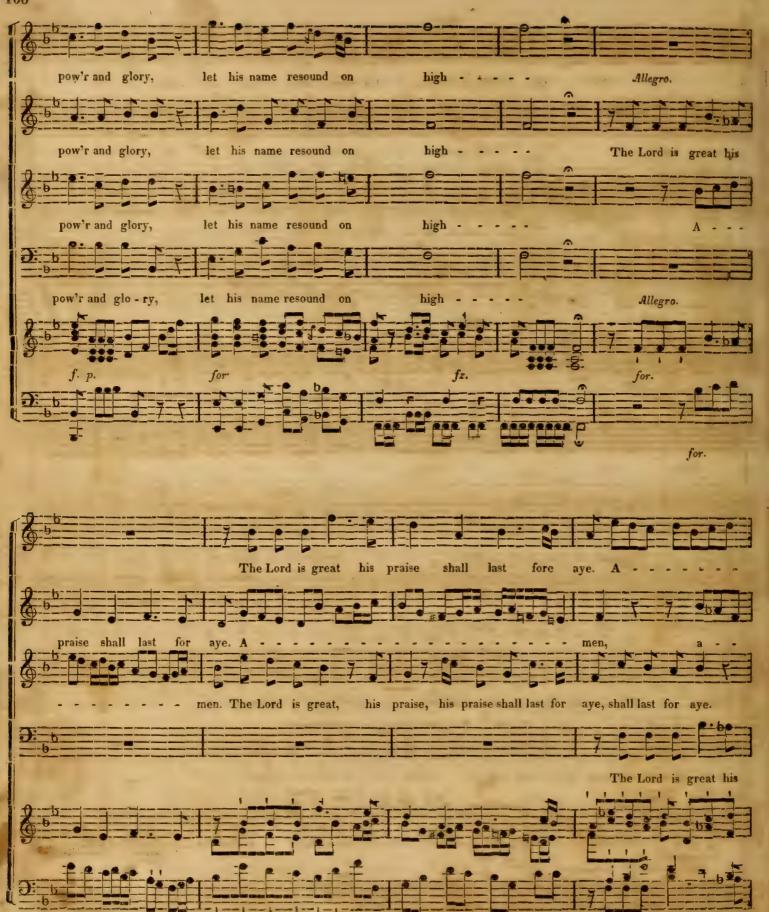


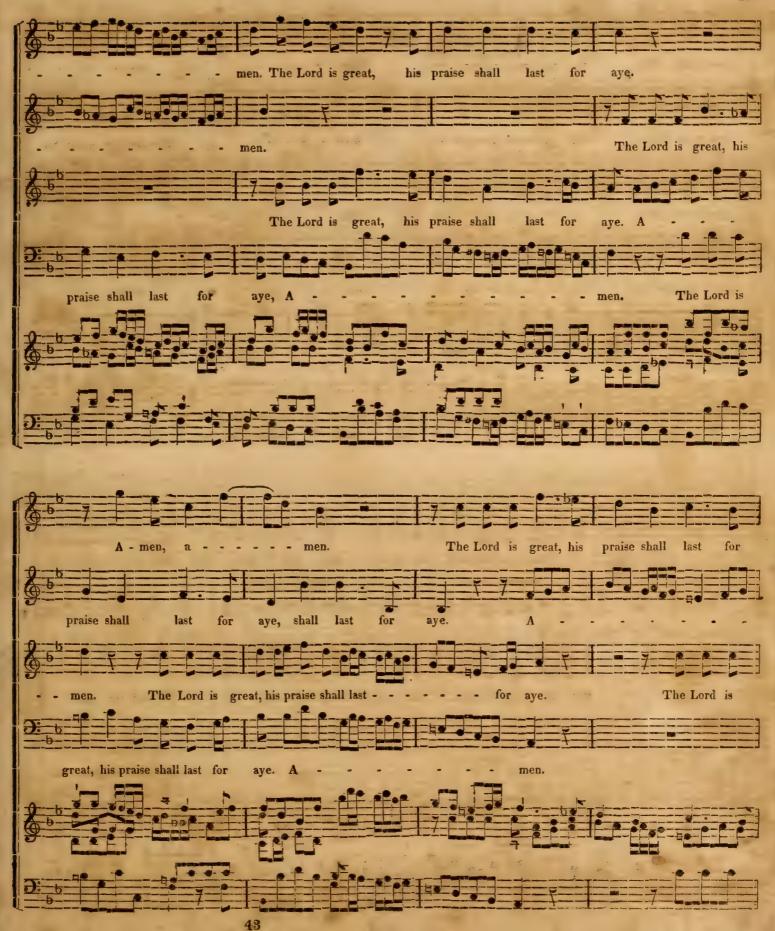


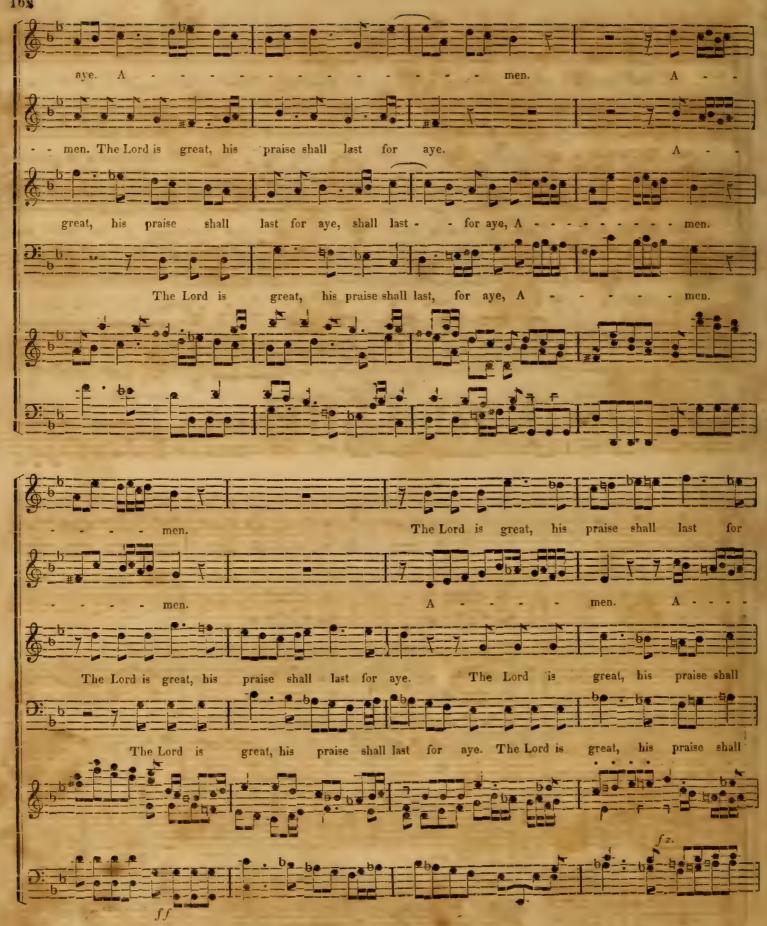


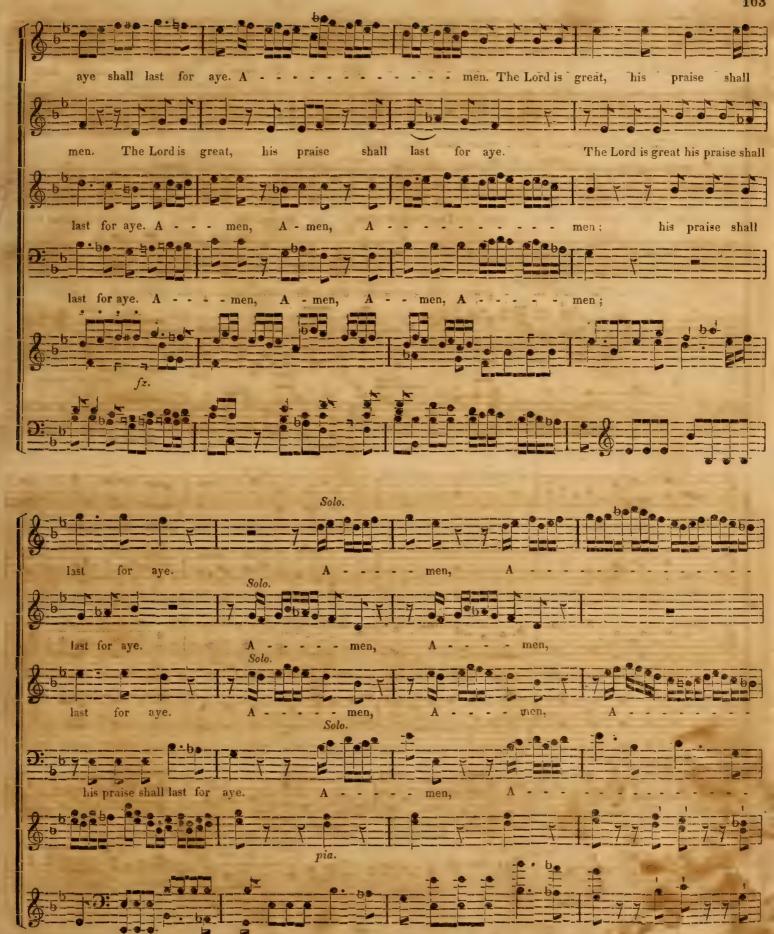


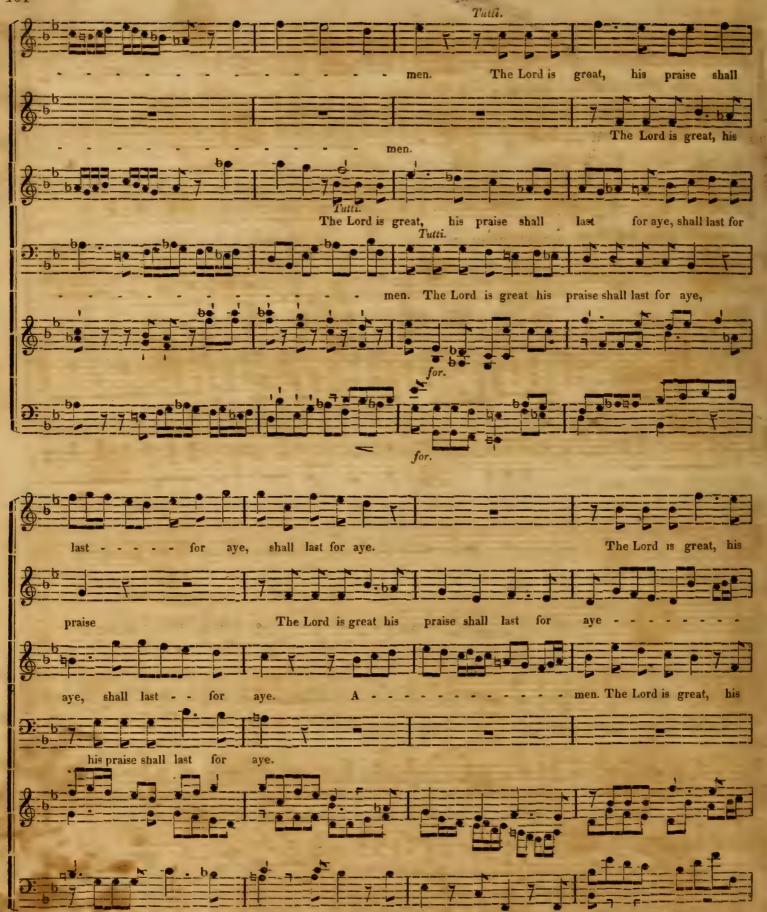


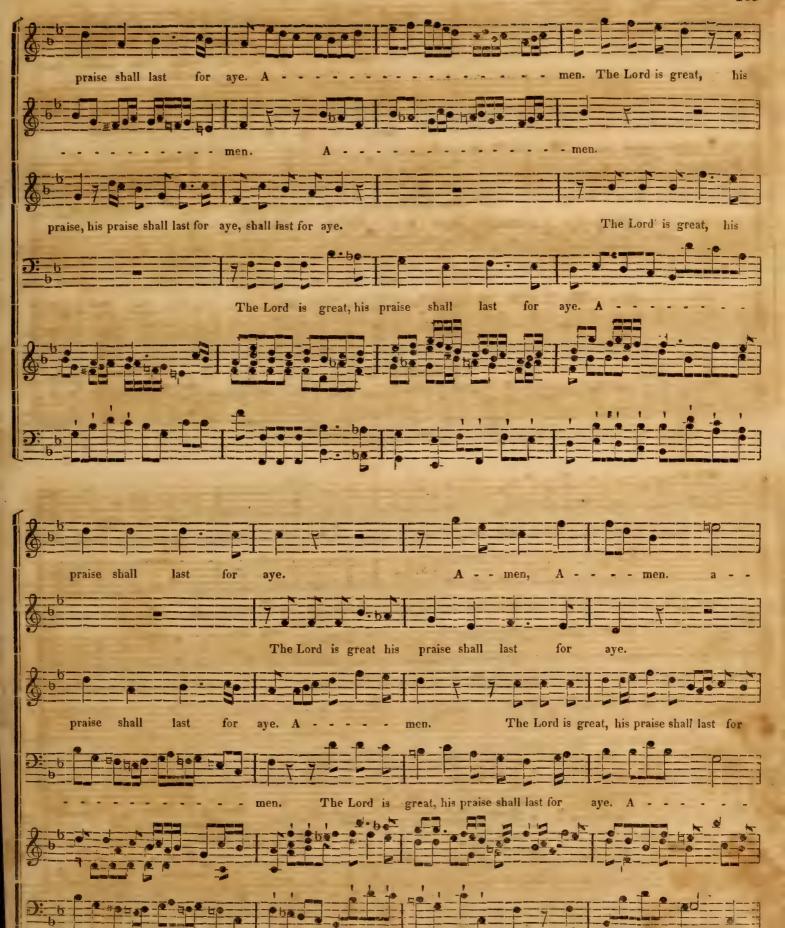


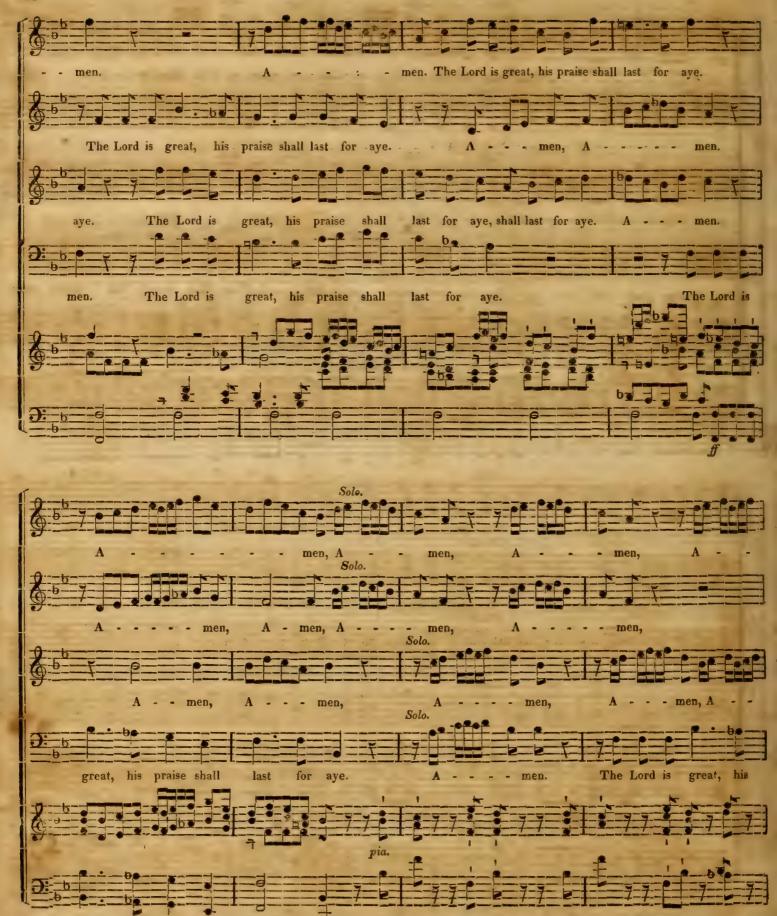




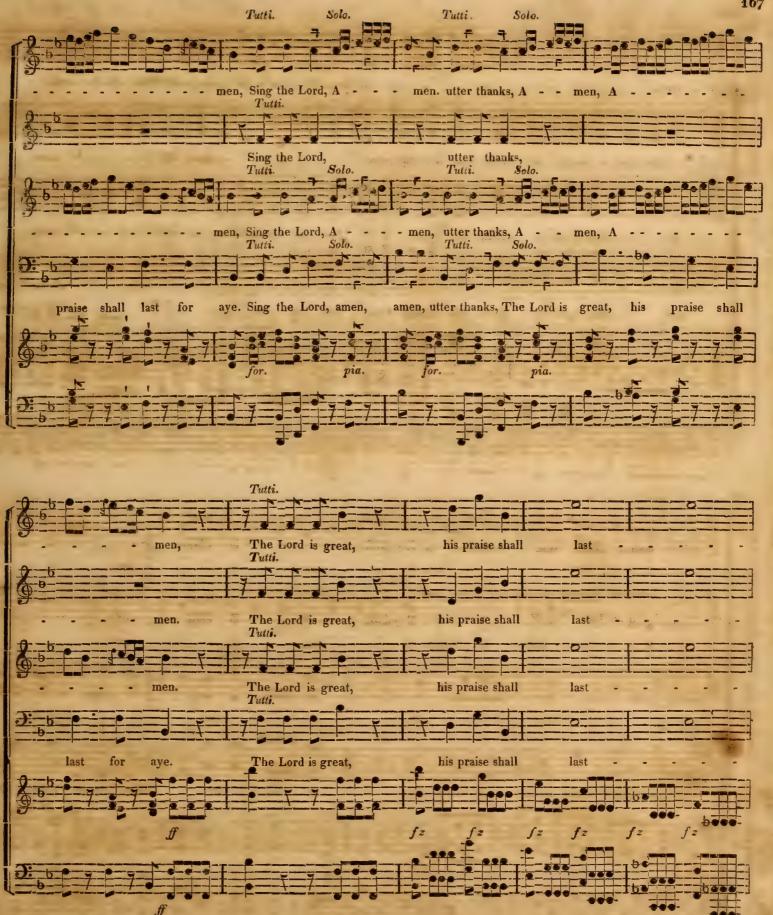




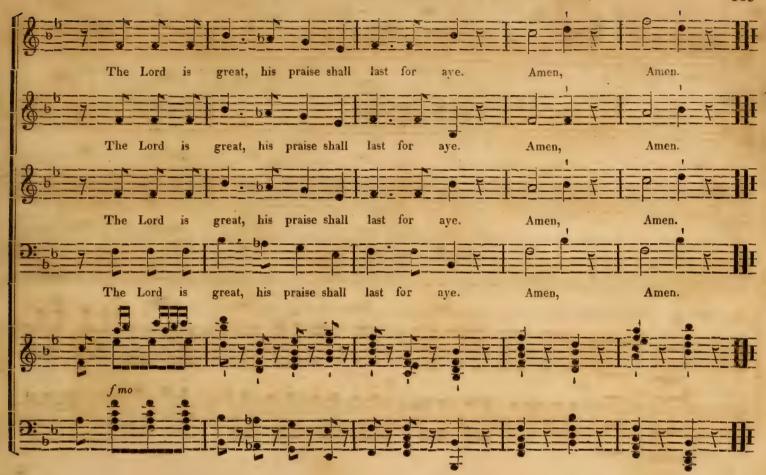


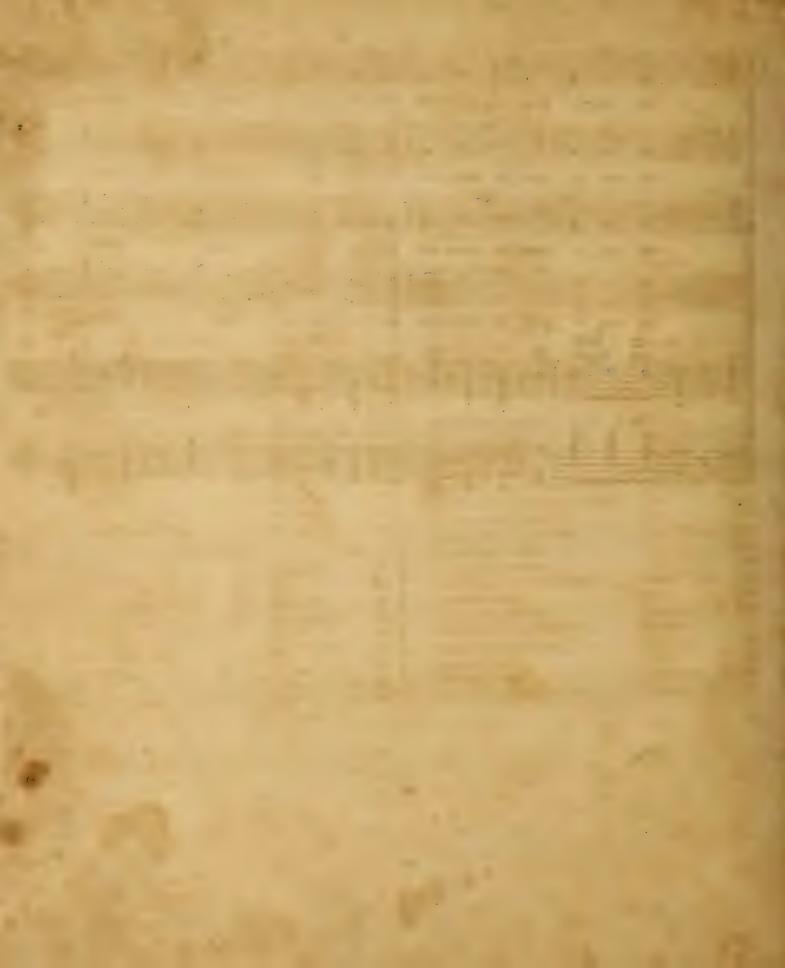












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